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RUSSIA'S ARMY IS VICTORIOUS

Austro-German Forces Suffer Severe Defeat in Battle to South of Warsaw—Fighting in Forests.

ENEMIES FALL BACK IN DISORDER

German Official Report Admits Withdrawal — Constant Arrival of Fresh Russian Forces Now Having Effect.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 28.—The following official communication was issued today from general headquarters:

"In the battle which has been in progress for four days south of the Pilitza River, in the forests on the line extending from Bialogura (Bialobrzegi) to Glowaczow, Policzna, and Janowiec, our troops have inflicted upon the Austro-German forces a severe defeat. Between the Pilitza and Glowaczow, the heroic efforts of our troops definitely broke down, on October 26, the resistance of the 20th corps and the reserve guard corps of the German army.

"On the centre, after fighting of a desperate character, we succeeded in establishing a firm foothold on the border of a forest in the region of the villages of Adamoff, Zvetinoff and Marsanoff.

On the left wing we captured by assault a defensive position established at Policzna, and enveloped a portion of the Austrian troops near Berdiceje.

"On the night of October 27, the enemy's corps fell back in disorder towards the line between Edlinak, Radom, and Ilja. We captured both cannon and prisoners.

"On the right bank of the Pilitza, to the front between Iejaff and Novo Miasto, the fighting continues with the same desperation.

"In Galicia the battle is raging along the whole front of the River San. We have taken an additional ten officers and 500 men.

"South of Przemysl our troops are advancing at certain points.

"In East Prussia the enemy has violently bombarded our positions in the operations in the region of Bakalarjevo.

"Repeated attacks have all been repulsed.

"The success we have won to the south of the Pilitza, and the result of which was the retreat of the enemy on the main front, is of the very greatest importance."

Fresh Russian Troops

LONDON, Oct. 29.—The Petrograd correspondent of The Daily Mail sends the following regarding the fighting in Russia:

"The Germans are astonished and disheartened to always find themselves pitted against fresh troops full of energy. The secret of this lies in the Russian plan of compelling an immense reserve for every army, changing regiments frequently and never leaving the same men on the firing line long enough to become stale.

"In this way the vastness of the Russian Emperor's army of 3,000,000 men is beginning to show a marked influence on the campaign."

Austrian Prisoners

LONDON, Oct. 28.—A Petrograd dispatch to Reuter's Telegram Co., says the number of Austrian prisoners brought to Kiev since the commencement of the war has reached a total of 100,000.

Germans Admit Reverse

BERLIN via Amsterdam, Oct. 28.—The German and Austrian troops in Poland, according to an official announcement issued in Berlin today, have been forced to withdraw before fresh Russian forces advancing from Ivangorod, Warsaw and Novo Georgievsk, after having repulsed all former Russian attacks.

The official statement continued:

"At first the Russians did not follow, and the withdrawal of our troops took place without difficulty. The reserve troops will change their formation according to the situation'.

LONDON, Oct. 29.—An official statement issued on Wednesday at noon by the Austrian general headquarters is contained in a dispatch to Reuter's Telegram Co., from Vienna, by way of Amsterdam. It says: "In Galicia yesterday, there was no change. In some parts of the line our adversaries are strongly entrenched. Our heavy artillery destroyed several points of support of the hostile batteries."

Goes With Contingent

PORT ARTHUR, Ont., Oct. 28.—Don Hogarth, M. P. P., for Port Arthur, will go with the second contingent as a lieutenant of transport.

PRINCE MAURICE'S DEATH

Cousin of King George Is First Member of British Royal Family to Fall in Present War

LONDON, Oct. 28.—Prince Maurice of Battenberg was the first member of the British Royal family to be killed in the present war. It was reported that the Prince was not actually killed on the field of battle, but that he died afterwards of wounds received in an engagement. King George and Queen Mary visited Kensington palace this afternoon to condole with Princess Henry, his mother.

Two brothers of Prince Maurice also went to the front, Lieut. Prince Alexander, of the Grenadier Guards, and Lieut. Prince Leopold, of the King's Royal Rifle Corps. Prince Leopold was invalided home recently suffering from an injury to his knee, the result of a fall.

Prince Henry of Battenberg, father of the three Princes, died from typhoid fever while on service in Ashanti.

GERMAN CRY FOR HELP

Many People in Country Invaded by Serbs Can Now Sympathize With Persecuted Belgians

COPENHAGEN, Oct. 28.—Germany's hands are too full at present for her to pay any serious attention to the desperate cry for help which comes to Berlin from the scarred and desolate homes on the Austrian battlefields. There the Servians swept through towns and villages as the Germans swept through Belgium. This great cry comes from leading German citizens in the Hungarian provinces of Croatia and Slavonia and the appeal is published in Berlin. It declares that German citizens in many towns in these Provinces have been victims of Serbian murder and plunder. In thousands of cases nothing has been left of their homes but walls.

There is a veiled complaint that the military and civil authorities have been unable to do sufficient to re-establish these people in homes. The loss of property in twelve towns is said to amongst the millions of pounds. Some of the most flourishing German factories and trades have been demolished by fire. The owners, who were wealthy men, are now beggars.

The Winter is approaching, and bitter need and crying poverty embraces honest German citizens and their wives and children. They are huddling in the ruins of their homes without any covering or protection against cold and starvation.

Calls Austrians Sheep

PETROGRAD, Oct. 28.—According to The Roosky Invalida, the discord between the Germans and Austrians, if reports of the prisoners can be credited, is increasing. After each defeat the Germans blame the Austrians for their misfortunes, while the Austrians blame their allies. A German major asked what was his opinion of the Austrian army, replied: "Are they really soldiers? No; they are but a flock of sheep. All they can do is to retreat."

BRAVE BELGIANS LOSING HEAVILY

Remnant of Army Still Fighting With Grim Determination and Suffering Severely in Trenches.

LONDON, Oct. 22.—The correspondent of The Daily Mail in Northern France, dealing with the enormous sacrifices and the devoted courage of the Belgians, says:

"Over ten thousand have been killed or wounded, which is a quarter of their whole force operating in the coast battle.

"They have been defending a slip of territory from Dixmude to Nieuport, a region hardly bigger than a big German farm.

"Nearly all of their injured have been wounded in the back, but never were wounds more honorable, as the bullets and shrapnel hit them as they lay prone under the hail of the steel volcano.

"Their fate is the tragedy of this war."

LONDON, Oct. 23.—The correspondent of The Times in West Flanders, under date of Tuesday, in describing the ebb and flow of the battle and the stubborn showing of Belgian soldiers, says: "The Belgians never entirely dislodged the Germans from the footing they obtained across the Yser near Pervyse, though the Germans suffered terrible losses in keeping a strip of ground thus won in the bend of the river. Again and again they have been practically swept away by Belgian shrapnel, but they have continued to pour men into the deathtrap which served them as a bridge head."

The correspondent pays a high tribute to the Belgians for their valor and tenacity. He says: "On top of two months' hard fighting, followed by a long discouraging retreat, and while tired and disorganized, they were called upon to hold the line of Yser when they well deserved a rest. Yet they fulfilled the task longer than was expected, under trying conditions. Their infantry has been in the trenches almost without repose for ten days, drinking only water from the canal which they are guarding, with little opportunity to prepare a hot meal, and constantly under a rain of German shells."

Elliott Horse at Montreal

MONTREAL, Oct. 28.—The Elliott Horse cavalry squadron from Victoria, en route for Great Britain, arrived here today in four special cars attached to the Imperial Limited. They took advantage of a short stay in Winnipeg to parade on the streets. With the party are 100 men from Vancouver and Victoria who are going to Halifax and later to Bermuda to help replace the garrison there.

Hog Cholera in Essex

WINDSOR, Ont., Oct. 28.—Over 5,000 hogs have been killed in Essex and Kent counties since the outbreak of the present epidemic of hog cholera, the worst in the history of the district. The cold weather, however, is helping in the fight against the disease.

WATER ROUTES GUARDED

Precautions Taken Against Mines and Submarines Between British and Continental Coasts

FLUSHING, Holland, Oct. 28.—The water routes from Folkestone to Flushing, and from the English coast to Dieppe, Boulogne and Calais, are being guarded with the greatest care in order to protect shipping against mines and submarines. British cruisers are escorting all trawlers and mine-sweepers. Torpedo boat destroyers and other small naval craft are all along the routes. British aeroplanes are also scouting constantly.

Four Belgian fishermen have been killed near Nieuport in handling a mine that had washed ashore.

ARMIES FORCED TO TAKE REST

Opposing Troops in France and Flanders Reach Limit of Human Endurance — Germans to Try Again.

FRENCH ADVANCE ON EASTERN WING

German Official Report Admits Reverse in Conflict With Russians — Latter Largely Increasing Their Forces.

LONDON, Oct. 28.—The limit of human endurance has been reached in the battle in West Flanders, and the fighting, which started yesterday, came to an almost complete stop today. There may have been some infantry attacks, and these may continue, but dispatches from points along the Dutch frontier state that the artillery firing has ceased, and passengers crossing the Channel tonight bring the same news.

It was this, doubtless, that led to the report coming from Northern France that the Germans had retired, having given up their attempt to reach the Channel ports.

The fact is that the two armies have fought themselves out temporarily, and that the Germans' first effort to break through the Allies' lines has failed. Neither side could continue longer, the men having been without sleep or rest for the ten days during which the battle has been in progress, over ground which at present is a morass.

The Germans succeeded last Saturday in getting some men across the Yser canal, and they sent more men across on Sunday. But the force facing them was too formidable, and now the opposing armies are taking a long needed rest.

To Try Further Inland

There is every evidence, however, that the Germans intend to renew their attempt to force their way to Dunkirk.

The new attempt, it is believed, will be made further inland, for the failure of the first one was largely due to the bombardment that the troops had to undergo from the British and French warships off the coast of Belgium.

This cessation of heavy fighting seems to have extended along the line as far as Arras, and the result of it all is that the Germans, while they have suffered heavy losses and have inflicted similar punishment on the Allies, are further away from the French coast than they were at the beginning of the battle.

The small forces which have been left to hold the line from the Oise to the Meuse while the greater battle is proceeding, have been engaging in night attacks at different points, the advantage sometimes going to the one and sometimes to the other. It is said that in one of these night attacks, near Craonne, the Germans lost 2,000 men.

Along the Meuse the French are advancing slowly between Apremont and St. Mihiel in their attempt to cut off the Germans.

Operations in Poland

The German official report issued today says that the Germans were forced to withdraw in Poland in the face of Russian reinforcements. This is the first mention from this source of the battle in that region since the German

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GENERAL BOTHA PURSUES REBELS

General Beyers' Force Is Put to Rout and Eighty of Its Members Captured—Pursuit Continues.

LONDON, Oct. 28.—It is officially announced here that General Botha, commander-in-chief of the Union of South Africa forces, has routed the commando of the rebel general Christian Beyers, and captured eighty prisoners.

The following statement was issued tonight regarding the rebellion in the Union of South Africa.

"General Botha reports that he left Rustenburg (a district in the west part of the Transvaal) on Tuesday morning and proceeded in the direction in which General Christian Beyers, with his commando, was supposed to be. He came in touch with General Beyers' men in the forenoon and drove them in headlong rout the whole of the day, and captured eighty of them, fully armed.

"In the fighting which took place towards the end of the pursuit, one of General Botha's men and several of Beyers' commando were wounded.

"When the report was made, the pursuit was still in progress."

Will Take Deserters.

LONDON, Oct. 29.—The Morning Post announces that the Government, after consulting its Allies and neutral powers, has decided to disregard the declaration of London of 1909. This means the cancellation of permission for reservists of belligerent nations to travel unmolested in neutral ships.

Galt's Contribution.

GALT, Ont., Oct. 28.—Three hours after the whirlwind campaign started this morning to raise money for the patriotic fund the total stood at $30,000, the sum placed as the objective. It is expected that before the campaign closes tomorrow evening, $50,000 will be obtained.

MONEY IS PAID FOR C. N. BONDS

OTTAWA, Oct. 28.—It is stated that the $15,000,000 loan underwritten in London by Lessard Brothers for the Canadian Northern Railway, just on the eve of the outbreak of the war, has been subscribed and paid over.

ITALY AND ALBANIA

Precautions Taken Against Moslem Movement to Have Little Country Re-Annexed to Turkey

ROME, Oct. 28.—The despatch of the battleship Dandole and other warships to Avlona is due to the Government's knowledge of a scheme for starting an agitation tending to infringe the decision of the London conference, which declared Albania neutral. Ismail Kenal Bey expresses satisfaction at Italy's action on political and humanitarian grounds. He did not think the step would lead to complications, and described the condition of the people at Avlona as very miserable.

The Tribuna, commenting on the Government's announcement, declares that Italy's aim for the moment is solely humanitarian, since the miserable conditions at Avlona necessitate sanitary aid.

With regard to coast surveillance, the British and French Governments have warned Italy of a suspicious Moslem movement in the harbor of Smyrna, whence thousands of rabid young Turks have started, or are starting, two steamers chartered by a committee for Albania with the intention of hoisting the Turkish flag and re-annexing Albania to Turkey. Italy is in perfect accord with all the signatories of the London conference, and proposes to thwart the attempt.

HOLLAND FEARS GERMAN ACTION

Alarm Caused by Report of Massing of Troops on Eastern Border—Belgian Refugees Are Heavy Burden.

ROSENDAAL, Holland, Oct. 28.—Holland is feeling the pressure of the war almost as much as if she were engaged in it. The report that the Germans are massing large numbers of troops on the eastern border is causing great uneasiness throughout Holland. The alleged discovery of a tennis court with cement nine feet thick on the property of a German in the vicinity of Arnhem, and statements that German spies have been active near Arnhem and other points close to the German border, seems to intensify the anxiety of the Hollanders.

A Dutch army of more than 300,000 trained men is scattered at strategic points along the Belgian and German borders. Rosendaal is the principal troop centre, as it is the only railway gate to Belgium that is now open. Hundreds of military motor cars leave here daily with messages and supplies for the border troops.

Close Guard Kept

The mouth of the River Scheldt and all the canals are heavily guarded. A large garrison at Flushing is guarding the docks and railway stations in order to prevent any attempt to violate the neutrality of the Scheldt. The river is heavily mined, and Dutch cruisers and torpedo boat destroyers are lying at its mouth to give any necessary co-operation to the land forces. The Dutch army is in fine condition. Unfortunately it is just changing its uniforms from blue to gray, and consequently the troops make a poor appearance, because all the men have not received their new equipment.

The horrors of war have been forced on virtually all the cities, towns and country districts by the Belgian refugees, who are estimated to aggregate 800,000. The Dutch Government is paying to the cities thirty cents daily for food for each refugee. The cities bear the other expenses connected with the influx. The strain of attending properly to the refugees is hard on Rosendaal, with its 15,000 population, Flushing, with 7,000, and other towns with lesser numbers.

In those places there are more refugees than inhabitants.

Amersfort, with a population of about 16,000, has now 16,000 Belgian refugees and interned Belgian soldiers combined. In Groningen there are 2,000 British marines interned.

Holland depends upon the United States and Canada for her wheat. At present the supply is very short.

The refugees are unwilling to return to Belgium, although Holland has offered free transportation to them. The appearance of scarlet fever among the refugees at Flushing is causing alarm

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ALLIES MAKING SOME PROGRESS

Official Reports Speak of Successes Gained at Various Points—British Brigade Inflicts Severe Loss.

MANY PRISONERS AND GUNS TAKEN

Enemy Still in Very Strong Force Attempting to Capture Roads to Calais—Reported Firing at Sea.

PARIS, Oct. 28.—The official communication issued by the War Office tonight says:

"In Belgium two night attacks attempted by the enemy in the region of Dixmude have been repulsed. The German effort on the front between Nieuport and Dixmude appears to be moderating.

"Our offensive continues to the north of Ypres.

"Between La Bassee and Lens there has been slight progress on our part.

"On the remainder of the front there is nothing to report."

Severe Check

WASHINGTON, Oct. 28.—Official dispatches made public here tonight by the French Embassy reported successes for the Allies all along the line. Reports state that everywhere the enemy has received a serious check. The text of the dispatch follows:

"Of the army of the Duke of Wurtemberg and the Crown Prince of Bavaria, on a front opposed by one British brigade, 1,600 dead were found.

"On the heights of the highway Des Dumes it is estimated that the number of killed and wounded Germans is about two thousand, although ours only reached about 100 killed and wounded.

"Other attacks on different parts of our front, especially at the north and south of the Somme, towards Berry-au-Bac, were less important.

"Reports state that everywhere the enemy has received serious checks. In the course of the day yesterday, as previously, the Allied troops took a number of prisoners. In the region of the north an unknown number of mitrailleuses and cannon were taken by our troops.

"In Poland the progress of the Russians continues. A vigorous combat took place in the region of Jorsow-Rawa.

"In the direction of Novo Alexandria-Zeyolen, the enemy beat a retreat, leaving to the Russians fifty officers, 3,000 men and a number of mitrailleuses and cannon.

"To the south of Soletz, the Russian troops crossed the Vistula, capturing eight officers and 500 men.

"In the Carpathians the Austrians were thrown back on the railway near Stare Miasto and Tarka. In the eastern part of Prussia, violent German attacks were repulsed."

Garrisons Small

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 28.—The correspondent at Sluis of The Telegraaf reports that remarkable quiet prevails along the coast of Belgium.

The German garrisons at Bruges, Hyest and Knocke, he says, are not very numerous.

The German commander at Bruges has published a proclamation ordering all

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BRITAIN'S ARMY IS INCREASING

Men Enlisted and Drilling in United Kingdom Estimated at Million and Half—A German Admission.

LONDON, Oct. 28.—The British army on the rolls and drilling in the United Kingdom now amounts approximately to 1,500,000 men. Of this total 200,000 men belong to what is termed "Kitchener's army"—men who have responded to his calls for 500,000 soldiers to serve three years or for the duration of the war. About 600,000 belong to the Territorials, while the remainder are enrolled with the special reserves, so called, or with the regular army and has seen service previously.

The Territorials are considered the flower of the force, as a great majority of them belong to the middle and upper middle classes, and are men accustomed to athletic pursuits. Both physically and mentally they are considered by military men to be the finest body for its numbers ever assembled under arms.

They are drilling with feverish enthusiasm and are anxious to go abroad for service on the firing line. A considerable portion of Field Marshal Lord Kitchener's army, of course, is not yet fully equipped, but they are working hard. They are being armed and clothed with great rapidity. The Canadian contingent is not included in this total.

"The German semi-offical press has now changed its mind and admits that the war is likely to last longer than it was originally thought," says Reuter's Amsterdam correspondent. "The North German Gazette," the correspondent continues, "in a long article regarding the maximum prices of provisions urges the necessity of husbanding the wheat resources. The newspaper estimates that Germany has sufficient cork for bread for the army and the population until the next harvest, but it adds that the war may last longer, and that the Germans must be able to hold out until a lasting peace is secured."

WIRELESS MEN ARRESTED

Mexican Authorities, at Instance of British Consul, Take Action in Lower California

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Oct. 28.—Charged with violating the neutrality laws of Mexico, Harry Vondenberg, a former San Diego captain of detectives, was arrested today at Alamo, Lower California, and is now held, with a German wireless operator and two assistants, at Ensenada.

According to word received here tonight from the Mexican police, the arrests were made at the request of the British Consul at Ensenada, who alleged that Vondenberg and the Germans have been maintaining a wireless station at Alamo, for the purpose of warning German ships in the locality of British cruisers. The entire wireless equipment was confiscated by the Mexicans.

Tribute to Belgians

TORONTO, Oct. 28.—In compliance with the request of the Council Mayor Hocken yesterday sent the following cable to King Albert of Belgium: "On behalf of the citizens of Toronto, Canada, I respectfully present to Your Majesty my congratulations on the bravery displayed by your people in their resistance to the unprovoked aggression of a powerful neighbor, and my sympathy with your subjects in their sufferings. Our hope is that the invader will be speedily driven out of Belgium."

Kaiser's Invocation

ROTTERDAM, Oct. 28.—According to the Frankfurter Zeitung, the Kaiser has sent the following telegram to the garrison at Tsing Tau, through the German Ambassador in Peking: "God be with you in the impending severe fighting. I am thinking of you."

Expelled From Petrograd

LONDON, Oct. 29.—"All the Austrians and Germans, except those of Slavish, French or Italian races, have been ordered to leave Petrograd within a fortnight," says the Exchange Telegraph's correspondent in a dispatch sent from the Russian capital.

BITTER FEELING AGAINST BRITISH

Worst Anger of Germans Is Reserved for People Whom They Dragged Into War—Bavarian's Wish.

LONDON, Oct. 29.—A dispatch to Reuter's Telegram Co., from Amsterdam, says:

Crown Prince Hupprecht, of Bavaria, brother of the Belgian Queen, who is commanding the sixth German army corps, has issued the following army order: "Soldiers of the Sixth Army corps: We are fortunate to have opposed to us English troops—the troops of that people whose envy has been at work for years to surround us with enemies in order to strangle us. We owe to them the present bloody war. Therefore take reprisals for the cunning of the enemy and for all our sacrifices when we now meet them.

"Show them that it is not so easy to wipe out the Germans of history, now that we are face to face with an enemy who is the greatest obstacle to peace."

It may be recalled that Emperor William recently in congratulating the commander of the Bavarian army corps for the bravery of his troops, said, according to The Lokal Anzeiger, of Berlin, "I should like the English to meet the Bavarians just once more."

Bitter Feeling

BRUSSELS, Oct. 28.—Evidence is reaching here daily of the intense bitter feeling of German soldiers against the British. Wherever the Germans oppose the British the fighting is reported to be incessant. Between the Germans and the French there is a more cordial feeling. Near Courtral the French soldiers in the trenches signaled a message to the opposing German soldiers:

"This is our colonel's birthday."

The Germans passed the word along the trenches and replied: "We won't shoot much today; let the colonel enjoy the day."

The Germans at Liege, Namur and Antwerp are busily engaged in restoring the fortifications and repairing guns spiked by the Belgians.

AUSTRIAN DREADNOUGHT

Reported by Italian Captain to Be Seriously Damaged Through Bursting of Gun

LONDON, Oct 28.—A dispatch to the Central News from Rome says:

"The captain of an Italian steamer which has just arrived at Naples from Trieste reports that during the voyage on the Adriatic he observed an Austrian dreadnought under way from Pola, the Austrian naval base.

"The dreadnought had come from Cattaro, where, during a recent action, one of the 8-inch guns burst, causing a magazine to explode. The vessel was seriously damaged. Her turret was blown up and there were rents in her side."

ENEMY'S EFFORT NOT SO STRONG

Pressure on Allies' Extreme Left Wing Near Coast Is Diminished After Two Desperate Assaults.

LINES ARE THINNER SOUTH OF LILLE

General Von Kluck's Attack in Region of Craonne Repulsed—Severe Fighting on Eastern Front.

PARIS, Oct. 28.—The vigorous German attack in the North was diminished today, after they had carried out two surprise assaults during the night, which cost both sides dearly. Real success had been attained by the Allies, who have not only prevented a breach in their lines, but have made considerable progress, and now firmly hold the line from Nieuport to Dixmude and in the neighborhood of Lille.

Officers who have returned from the front describe a dangerous task performed by the native troops during the night along the Belgian coast. They surprised and destroyed a German ammunition park, thus putting out of action several German batteries which had caused great annoyance to the Allies, who could not reach them with their artillery.

In absolute darkness several natives crept up stealthily and killed three German sentries; they then set fire to the thicket where the ammunition wagons were sheltered, causing all the shells to explode.

Concentrating Forces

The German lines have been visibly thinned to the south of Lille and St. Quentin, and along the lines of trenches leading to the Eastern frontier; but in the neighborhood of Craonne and Berry-au-Bac, on the Aisne, where General von Kluck is commanding, the German forces are in great strength.

It is believed that the German troops who captured Antwerp are now massed near the Belgian coast, and that additional divisions are assisting them, which have been brought from the long front where the siege has progressed for so many weeks.

A recurrence of the German offensive was expected near Craonne, where General von Kluck started a sharp diversion to test the strength of the Allies and was thrown back. Further east, in the Argonne region, and on the frontier, severe fighting continues incessantly, as the result of which the French troops are reported to have made constant progress.

Work of Cavalry

The cavalry of the Allies is performing marvels of endurance. One regiment took part in ten encounters in a single day, at the same time covering more than forty miles of ground. The other detachments are doing equally well. Their orders are to hold the Germans back and worry them night and day, but they have also developed an offensive movement of their own, and have succeeded in driving the Germans on to the reserves.

The Allies' artillerymen have adopted a ruse to prevent the German aviators from discovering the position of their batteries. They keep piles of brushwood near their guns, and when a German aeroplane is signalled, the brushwood is placed over the guns and the men lie down beneath it, or take shelter in the trees, where they remain immoveable until the airman has passed out of sight.

Eight French cannon put eighteen German 3-inch guns out of action in half-an-hour between the Aisne and the Oise, and prevented the Germans from effecting a plan to cut communications.

Prior to this, French and German cavalry fought a minor action in which the Germans were repulsed.

CONSPIRATORS SENTENCED

Gavrio Prinzip, Who Shot Archduke Francis Ferdinand, Gets Twenty Years—Four Others to Hang

SARAYEVO, Bosnia, Oct. 28.—Judgment was passed today on the assassins of Archduke Francis Ferdinand, heir apparent to the Austrian throne, and his wife.

Gavrio Prinzip, the actual assassin, escaped with the sentence of imprisonment for twenty years. Four of the conspirators were sentenced to death by hanging, one to life imprisonment, two, including Madeljo Gabrinovio, who threw the bomb at the Archduke, but which did not explode, to twenty years, one to sixteen years, one to thirteen years, two to ten years, one to seven years and two to three years.

The other defendants were acquitted.

Few Cadets Left

KINGSTON, Ont., Oct. 28.—It is expected that by the end of the year about 100 cadets of the Royal Military College will have left for the front to serve in the British and Canadian regiments. Only about thirty cadets will be left at the college. A short army course will likely be given for the instruction of officers.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Colonist, Oct. 29, 1864.)

Liberality—The Hudson Bay Co., in sending a letter to Chief Engineer [illegible] thanking the fire department for their valuable service in preventing them from doing any severe damage to their property, contained a cheque for $50 as a donation to the funds of the department.

Telegraphic Progress—In 1851 the total of all the telegraphs [illegible] world, stretched length by length, came to 7,568 miles. Today [illegible] onto 14,000 miles, and many thousands will be added when the [illegible] to circle the globe is completed. The wire will run through Russia, [illegible] Bering Sea, down the coast to San Francisco to Boston to [illegible] A message was sent recently from San Francisco to Boston in three [illegible] it may not be long before Melbourne is in direct communication [illegible] It will be seen that the line will take in Sitka which connects on [illegible] Aug. Amoyain. The establishment of the telegraph across Behring [illegible] and Cape Cleer is only waiting to complete, at the moment, a [illegible] round the world between 41 and 52 degrees north latitude. [illegible] may now long it will be before this line is duplicated or [illegible]

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RELIEF MEASURE FOR RESERVISTS

Dominion Government Adopts Plan for Taking Care of Germans and Austrians Now in Country.

OTTAWA, Oct. 28.—The Government today made provision for relieving the distress of the Austrians and Germans in various parts of the country, who are out of work and unable to support themselves, and also for placing under surveillance all who may be considered otherwise likely to cause trouble.

Registration offices will be opened by the Dominion police in the East and the Northwest Mounted Police in the West, where all Germans and Austrians must present themselves. Men under or over military age, or otherwise unfit for service, may be permitted to leave the country. Of the others, those who can maintain themselves and are believed to be well disposed, may be allowed their liberty, only being required to report regularly.

Those who are destitute, and those who, it is considered, should be kept under surveillance, will be held in places of detention as prisoners of war. They will be in charge of military authorities, and work will probably be provided for them. These latter plans have not been definitely worked out as yet. An effort will be made to find work which will not be unduly in competition with Canadian labor. The Austrians or Germans detained in the West, for instance, may be put at cleaning up the national parks of dead or fallen timber. It is strongly felt here that a restraint on the part of Canadians from the expression of hostile sentiments towards these people will greatly lessen the danger of trouble

ARMIES FORCED TO TAKE REST

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advance on Warsaw was frustrated by the arrival of fresh Russian troops.

The Russians claim to be making progress against the Austrians, who advanced through Galicia and attacked their left wing, and on the East Prussian frontier they also say that they have repulsed the German offensive from that quarter.

The Russians, having had plenty of time, are bringing up immense numbers of men, and are, therefore, able to take either defensive of offensive measures along the long front reaching from the Baltic to the Carpathians.

The greater part of Africa has been drawn into the conflict. It is reported that Germans have invaded Angola, one of Portugal's African possessions; that there has been fighting on the borders of the German and Belgian colonies on that continent, and that the British and Germans have been having more skirmishes.

De Wet's Rebellion

The most serious affair, however, is the rebellion in the Union of South Africa, although Premier Botha, who withheld the news of the rising led by Generals de Wet and Beyers until he himself got into action, seems to have inflicted a severe defeat on General Beyers, completely routing his command and taking a number of prisoners.

The invasion of Angola was not unexpected, for Portugal had declared her intention of helping the Allies, and in view of the possibility of a German attack on her had reinforced her garrisons. Portugal, if the report of the German invasion is true, is the ninth nation to be drawn into the war, and there is still danger of others following.

Holland is growing uneasy in the fear that her neutrality may be violated. The mouth of the Scheldt, which the Germans, now that they have Antwerp, would find of much service to them, and the Eastern border of the Netherlands, where the Germans are massing troops, are the danger points.

The Dutch Government declares it is prepared to guard the country's neutrality at any cost.

CANADIAN OFFICERS

Men Now in Training With King Edward's Horse Are Visited by Sir Edward Grey

LONDON, Oct. 13 (Correspondence).—Sir Edward Grey paid a visit to the 2nd King's Horse, now in training at Slough, Bucks, last week.

The Foreign Secretary spent nearly an hour in conversation with the Canadians serving in this regiment, among whom are: Captain Kaid Belton, of Ottawa; Captain Reynolds, of Calgary; Captain A. N. O'Kelly, late of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police; Lieutenant E. Buckler, Q. M. Sergeant H. W. Jones, of the 15th Calgary Light Horse; Q. M. Sergeant Jackson, late of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police; J. Studdy, of Calgary, and Troopers Fuller and Dare, late if the Royal Northwest Mounted Police.

The late Lord Strathcona's grandson, the Honorable Donald Howard, has been promoted from second lieutenant to lieutenant in the 3rd Hussars.

Captain J. H. Macbrien, of the Royal Canadian Dragoons, has been attached to the general staff as general staff officer, third grade.

Captain H. T. Goodland, of Edmonton, is with the Royal Munsters at the Curragh.

Had Stolen Bank Bills

TORONTO, Oct. 28. — Patrick J. Welch, of Chicago, was found guilty in General Sessions today, of receiving stolen money and of forgery. When arrested at the Woodbine race track last May, Welch had in his possession a number of bills that had been stolen from the Bank of Montreal at New Westminster, B. C., about three years ago. The identification marks of some of the bills had been changed.

Caused by Miner's Lamp.

ROYALTON, Ills., Oct. 28.—The disaster at the mine of the Franklin Coal and Coke Company near here yesterday, in which forty-seven, and probably fifty, men perished, was due to an explosion that resulted when a miner's lamp came into contact with a pocket of gas that had been noted the night before by a mine examiner and marked dangerous.

Zapatista Attack

MEXICO CITY, Oct. 28.—Zapata forces under General Pacheco, attacked the suburbs of San Angel this morning, but were driven off after two hours of heavy fighting. The Government sent out artillery, which resulted in the retreat of the attacking forces.

IN INDIAN ARMY

Casualty List Indicates Participation in Hard Fighting—Two British Captains Killed

LONDON, Oct. 28.—The following officers appear among the Indian army casualties issued by the press bureau tonight:

Killed: Bradshaw, Captain A. E., 14th Lancers. Gatacre, Captain J. K., 11th Lancers.

Wounded: Campbell, Lieutenant C., 46th Pathans. Fraser, Captain A. C., 39th Central India Horse.

USING BREASTPLATES

French Infantry Said to Have Been Able to Gain Much Ground by Employing Device

PARIS, Oct. 28.—The Journal d'Informaton states that the French infantry have recently gained much ground in the Argonne region through the use of steel breastplates, which, although unable to resist pointblank bullets, are nevertheless impenetrable at a range which permits troops to pause before the last rush with the bayonet.

The Journal de Rennes announces that the Russian Government decided to adopt the breastplate at the outbreak of the war, and placed immense orders with a factory at St. Hilaire de Harcourt, which has the exclusive manufacturing rights.

The French Government has also now ordered large quantities, and has released the reservists employed in the factory, which is busy night and day.

VOYAGE OF EARL GREY

Canadian Ice-Breaker Was Taken to Archangel by Commander Truesdale, Formerly of Shearwater

OTTAWA, Oct. 28.—It is learned that the ice-breaker Earl Grey was taken from Prince Edward Island to Archangel, Russia, by Commander Truesdale, of H. M. S. Shearwater, which was tied up on the Pacific Coast after the war broke out.

Construction of a 10,000 horse-power ice-breaker has been commenced at Montreal by the Canadian Vickers Company to take the place of the Earl Grey on the Straits of Northumberland.

This new boat will be more powerful even than the Earl Grey, which was able to cut through anything between Prince Edward Island and New Brunswick, though the ice there runs to a thickness of fifteen feet.

ALLIES MAKING SOME PROGRESS

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British subjects between sixteen and sixty to leave Belgium. As the railways are occupied with the transport of German troops, the exodus of the Britishers is proceeding slowly.

LONDON, Oct. 28.—The Belgian Minister in London this evening received the following message from his Government:

"Havre, October 28.—The situa- of our troops on the Yser has improved. The fire of the enemy's artillery has slackened, being subdued by the guns of the fleet.

"The operations of the Allies at Ypres are very satisfactory."

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 28.—General headquarters at Berlin issued the following official communication today:

"The fighting near Nieuport and Dixmude is continuing. The Belgians have received considerable reinforcements, but our attacks are being pushed. Sixteen warships joined in the attack on our right wing."

Battleship Joins In

LONDON, Oct. 28.—The correspondent at Dover of The Central News says: "The British fleet is still operating against the Germans off Belgium, without as yet one vessel being struck. A battleship has now joined in the bombardment, using her 12-inch guns."

Sea Battle Reported

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 28.—The Telegraaf says: "Gun firing, lasting forty-five minutes, was heard early on Wednesday morning in a northerly direction from Knocke, Belgium, and was repeated twelve hours later. Apparently there has been a sea battle.

"It is rumored that there was an armistice along the Yser on Wednesday, as no firing was heard. Only a few wounded arrived at Bruges on Wednesday.

"The Germans are sending new guns and windings of barbed wire, and also wood with which to build bridges on the Yser."

Many Germans

LONDON, Oct 28.—A dispatch to The Times, dated "Northern France, Tuesday," estimates that Germany has a quarter million men fighting on the roads to Calais, and has another 100,000 men ready to reinforce them.

The dispatch says there was good reason a couple of days ago to believe that the Germans were ready to withdraw from East Belgium, but that it would be a mistake to assume that the Allies had been entirely successful in this river battle. The great bulk of the fighting, the dispatch adds, was on the left bank of the Yser, and the river is, broadly speaking, no longer between the Allies and the enemy.

Nearer Ostend

AMSTERDAM, via London, Oct. 28.—The Niews Van den Dag says it learns from Sluis that fugitives arriving there this morning from Bruges and Ostend reported fierce fighting last night between Nieuport and Ostend. The Allies are said to have made bayonet charges, and the Germans to have finally retreated northward to Middleburghe, leaving many dead.

The Niews adds that Germans are taking heavy guns to Ostend from Knocke and Bruges.

Early Losses

BASLE, Switzerland, Oct. 28.—A telegram from Berlin states that the Indicator of Empire has published the fiftieth German casualty list, stating that during the first six weeks of the war 231,000 Germans were placed hors de combat.

The killed number 86,331, wounded 152,166, and missing 55,532. 2,356 officers have been killed.

British Columbia's Check

MONTREAL, Oct. 28.—A check for $5,000 from the Province of British Columbia, a gift to the Belgian relief fund, of which notice was received a short time ago, reached the headquarters of the Belgian committee today. A $200 contribution from Trail, B. C., was also received.

Bomb Dropped in Switzerland

PARIS, Oct. 28.—A Havas News Agency dispatch from Belfort says that a German aeroplane, which flew over the fortress of Belfort on Friday and into Switzerland, dropped a bomb which fell in Swiss territory. Irritation against Germany, it is added, was caused by the incident.

RECRUITS MORE THAN REQUIRED

Men Offering Freely for Service With Second Contingent—Officers Are Also in Excess of Positions.

TORONTO, Oct. 28.—With at least twice as many men in every regiment here offering as recruits for the second contingent, recruiting officers are selecting the best available men.

The selection of officers proceeds apace in all regiments. Volunteers from all over the second division, both officers and men, are more than double the number required. No fewer than 230 officers have placed their names on the list, while only about seventy can be selected.

Recruiting at Montreal

MONTREAL, Oct. 28.—"Are you a man of good physique? Then your King and country need you." These words are printed in large black letters on posters calling for recruits that are being tacked up in all parts of the city. Recruiting for the various regiments is going forward rapidly. The French Canadian regiment now has 800 men enrolled.

Activity at Winnipeg

WINNIPEG, Oct. 28.—Within the next few days there will be a repetition in Winnipeg of the active military preparations that were in progress before the local troops left to join the first overseas contingent at Valcartier.

Some 2,000 men comprising the two battalions to be sent from military district No. 10 will concentrate at once in Winnipeg, and there is every indication that before this time next week they will be engaged in active operations. Complete arrangements have been made for the housing and equipment of these men.

Since orders were issued from military headquarters in Winnipeg for the organization of the second contingent, the full number allowed from each of the various regiments in the district has been selected.

The two battalions will be made up exclusively of infantry, and the following regiments will be represented: 96th, Port Arthur and Fort William; 98th, Fort Frances and Kenora; 105th, Saskatoon; 52nd, Prince Albert; 95th, Regina; 99th, Brandon and Portage la Prairie; 60th, Moose Jaw; and the four Winnipeg infantry regiments, the 90th, 78th, 100th and 106th.

Full pay starts from the time the men have been medically examined and attested. None of the outside troops have arrived in Winnipeg yet.

HOLLAND FEARS GERMAN ACTION

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owing to the crowded conditions there. There is no compulsory vaccination law in Belgium, and the Hollanders therefore are alarmed by reports that there is smallpox among the refugees."

MR. REID TRANSFERRED

Vancouver Immigration Officer's Life Thought to Be Safer at Some Eastern Point

OTTAWA, Oct. 28.—Immigration Inspector Malcolm R. J. Reid, of Vancouver, who had charge of the operations which prevented the landing of 400 East Indians from the steamship Komagata Maru at Vancouver, has been transferred to an eastern post.

The Government decided, it is said, that Mr. Reid's life was in danger as long as he remained on the Pacific Coast, as several attempts to assassinate him have been reported.

Horses from Texas.

FORT WORTH, Tex., Oct. 28.—The first shipment of 3,000 horses purchased for use in the European war by representatives of the Allied armies was made today. The horses were sent to Montreal. Other shipments will be made at regular intervals all week.

SPEAKER MAY RESIGN

Hon. Dr. Sproule Expected to Be Transferred to Senate—Mr. Blain Likely to Succeed

OTTAWA, Oct. 28.—It is reported in well informed circles that the Hon. Dr. Sproule, Speaker of the House of Commons, will resign shortly and be appointed to the Senate. It is also said that Mr. Richard Blain, M.P. for Peel, will be appointed Speaker, and that the Deputy Speaker will be Mr. Albert Sevigny, member for Dorchester.

While this is not officially confirmed, it is regarded as very likely to occur. Mr. Blain is one of the best-informed men in the House on parliamentary rules, and he has the reputation of being fair-minded.

There are six vacancies in the Senate. Five of them are in Ontario and one in British Columbia. While a number of names have been suggested the most likely appointments appear to be the Hon. Dr. Sproule, Mr. Harvey Hall, Toronto, and Major Beattie, London. The mention of others is mere speculation.

G. T. P. CONTRACTS

Work to Be Done at Divisional Points in This Province Awarded to Winnipeg Firm

WINNIPEG, Oct. 28.—The Grand Trunk Pacific has let contracts to the value of $300,000 for terminals at four divisional points in British Columbia. The towns concerned are Prince George, Endako, Smithers and Pacific. The contract has been let to a Winnipeg firm, and work has been started. There is also a proposition under consideration to let the contract for the works at Prince Rupert, the coast terminus of the Grand Trunk Pacific. This contract will very likely be awarded in a short time.

This construction work will take care of a very large number of mechanics and laborers during the Winter, and will practically wipe out unemployment along the line of the G.T.P. in this portion of British Columbia. The construction work will include roundhouses, machine shops and other railway buildings.

Another evidence of the progressive policy of the G.T.P. announced by Mr. Donaldson, vice-president, is that oil-burning locomotives are to be used in fast transcontinental trains of the company. Contracts are being prepared for oil storage buildings along the line from Jasper Park to Prince Rupert.

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Toronto Raises Money

TORONTO, Oct. 28.—A private loan amounting to $2,000,000, was obtained by the board of control from the local financial institutions today. The money will be devoted to local improvements. The bonds will bear interest at 5 1-2 per cent, and will mature in one, two, and three years.

Not to Oppose New Ministers

MONTREAL, Oct. 28.—Official announcement is made that as a party the Liberals will offer no opposition to the return of Hon. T. Chase Casgrain and Hon. P. E. Blondin, respectively, for Quebec and Champlain counties. A section of the party has, it is said, favored a movement to bring out opponents, but Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux opposed this, and it is thought probable that the wishes of the leaders will prevail.

NOTE FLOTATION NOT IMMEDIATELY NEEDED

City Has Funds in Hand Sufficient to Carry Out Relief Works Now Under Way.

As there are still funds available with which to prosecute the relief works which were recently decided upon by the City Council to supply occupation for unemployed workmen of the city, the council has done nothing further in respect to the flotation of the treasury notes to the amount of $250,000 which, it was decided, would be offered for local subscription. This additional sum, it was thought, would be utilised for more relief work, but the work now being carried on is deemed sufficient for the time being.

In connection with the contemplated issue, objection has been made by the city's fiscal agents, the Dominion Securities Company. This firm has pointed out that when the city made its last issue last Spring it was clearly understood that the council had adopted a policy of strict curtailment in outlays and had decided to cut its improvement programme to the very limit. It was then announced by the city that no further attempts to raise funds would be made. The agents state that this extra issue of notes would be bad policy and one which would not be relished by investors who took the first issue. Attention is directed to the action of other municipal bodies throughout Canada which have promptly met the situation created by the war by strict economy and curtailment of future programmes, having in mind the financial difficulties which will beset borrowers of capital should the war be continued for a lengthy period.

Payment of Taxes

Members of the council are keenly interested in the tax payments now being made, the last date for the rebate being Saturday next. Payments so far have been good, and the balance of the week is expected to be distinguished by the customary eleventh hour rush of tax payers. At the beginning of the year the council borrowed $1,250,000 from the bank, the loan being secured by the annual tax receipts which were estimated to amount to over $2,000,000, including the receipts arising from revenue other than that levied on land values. Last year about eighty-seven per cent of the total levy on lands was paid on or before the last date on which the rebate was due. What the percentage will be this year it is difficult to forecast as conditions are less favorable, but judging from the payments to date the showing should be comparatively favorable.

On the five streets on which relief work has been initiated, good progress is being made. Weather conditions have been exceptionally good and with another two weeks of dry weather the work will be far advanced. The concrete base for the pavement on Chester Street is completed and Fairfield Terrace is almost ready for concreting. On the Gorge Road, Fisgard Street and Blackwood Street, portions of which are being paved, the underground work is being pushed ahead and in a few days grading work will be started.

"GERMANY BEFORE ALL" IS MOTTO OF TEUTONS

Major Montgomery Has Interesting Letters From Daughter in England, Who Studied German Character

Major Montgomery of this city has received since the war started some very interesting letters from his daughter, now in England, who was in Germany for two years up to the time of the outbreak of hostilities. Miss Montgomery went to the University at Berlin for two years to study the German language and literature after graduating at Toronto University. Possibly the most interesting part of these letters to her father, from the public point of view, is her estimate of the German character after intimate acquaintance with many of the best educated German people.

"Once British," says Miss Montgomery, "always British," and she writes that the two years she spent among the Germans only tended to make her more loyal to Britain than she was before. While in Germany she made many friends, but from what she knows of the German character, she has no doubt whatever that they no longer regard her as a friend. Although the average German man is better educated than the average Englishman or American, his education has not made him more refined, and from the highest to the lowest they are obsessed with the German idea of "Deutschland uber alles." They are, in her opinion, a cunning race, but not great statesmen or politicians. They tell disgraceful lies, but if the people are led by the Kaiser and his War Minister to believe that we are the aggressors in this war, their national tenacity of purpose will make them fight to the last man and horse, and they will never believe us.

War with every German is a science, and tales of half-heartedness and low morale in the German ranks are, in Miss Montgomery's opinion, not to be credited. She knows the nation too well to believe them.

Other extracts from these letters confirm the accounts already published of the splendid way in which recruits came forward from all classes of English society as soon as the public really understood, from the recruiting campaign speeches of the Government leaders, that the country was facing a crisis which called for the help of every man.

She has much to say of the real danger from spies in England, London being full of Germans at the time of the outbreak, but she tells of the excellent precautions which have been taken to guard against this danger, and also against any danger from an aerial raid on London. One outstanding fact is the small amount of crime in London in spite of the darkening of the metropolis at night as a precaution against attacks from the air.

Miss Montgomery has been active in the poorer districts of London in connection with the relief work among the dependents of those serving with the land and sea forces, and gives interesting, though in many cases sad, details of her experiences in this connection.

There is little gaiety just now in London, but very little mourning is to be seen. Rich and poor alike are doing their share with a calm and fixed determination to see this matter through to the end.

BACK FROM KAMLOOPS

Reeve McGregor and Councillor Grant, of Saanich Council, Return From Convention

After attending the annual convention of the B. C. Union of Municipalities Reeve McGregor and Councillor Adams of Saanich have returned and, according to their report, many questions were discussed, and some important recommendations will be made to the Provincial Government. To the representatives of the municipality in question, probably the most important problem was that of the assessment of railway property. The outcome of the debate, the Reeve stated last evening, was the determination to ask the authorities to give the municipalities the same power with respect to the holdings of railway companies within their boundaries as that possessed by the Province.

In assessing railways, the Reeve explained, Saanich was in a peculiar position. As all improvements were exempt, the companies, in answer to any effort made to tax them, took the position that their grading, ties, poles, rails, etc., were "improvements," and as such could not be levied upon. Therefore when the matter was brought up, Reeve McGregor asserted that it interested himself and his colleague, inasmuch as three railways traversed their district.

There was a meeting of the works committee of the Saanich council yesterday, but nothing of importance was accomplished. The entire afternoon was occupied in listening to the representations of three delegations all of which sought different road improvements. These matters will come up for discussion later on but, in the meantime, investigation will be made as to their practicability under the existing conditions. Nothing definite was done with respect to the Shelbourne Street extension. Tenders are being invited for the grading of Gorge Road from the city limits to Craigflower Road. The possibility of proceeding with this enterprise and paying the contractors with debentures is under consideration. It is understood that an offer was made to undertake the work on that basis, but, of course, it was impossible to make any award without inviting bids in the regular way.

TO CONSTRUCT NEW RANGE IN SAANICH

Dominion Authorities Take Steps to Provide Better Accommodation for Riflemen of Victoria and District.

An immediate start will be made in the construction of a large, modern rifle range in Saanich, within easy reach of the city. The project has been pending for some months and the announcement made yesterday by Colonel Ogilvie, the district officer commanding, was welcomed. He made it known that instructions had been received from the Master of Ordnance, Ottawa, that the work was to be undertaken without delay, and that it was to be prosecuted under the day labor system. Only a short time ago Mr. G. H. Barnard, M. P., made representations to the federal authorities respecting the inadequacy of the Clover Point range. He dwelt especially on the fact that the mobilization here of large bodies of soldiers, who must be trained thoroughly in musketry, made the lack of sufficient accommodation particularly apparent. This has been recognized, and no time will be lost in giving Victoria one of the finest of Canadian ranges.

The site was purchased months ago. There are included in the area fully 400 acres, and it lies about eight miles from Victoria. There will be no difficulty as to transportation for, not only is it quite close, but it is approachable either by the West Saanich Road or by the B. C. Electric Railway Co.'s interurban line. The latter intersects a corner of the land. Therefore those who will be making frequent trips for the purpose of engaging in rifle work will have no trouble in reaching their destination. According to the plans sixteen targets are to be installed, and there will be butts allowing for shooting from all the standard ranges from the 200 to the 1,000 yards. These are to be laid out, of course, in the most approved fashion. The men will face west while engaged, difficulty as to the brilliancy of the sun thus being avoided. To those who have been accustomed to Clover Point the change will be material for the land selected is well sheltered, so that little or no interference may be expected from wind.

No more charming site, it is stated by those who have made personal inspections, could be found for the purpose intended. The property is level and is so situated as to permit the 1,000 yard range to be located without trouble. The Great Saanich mountain forms a most satisfactory background. This insures the safety of those not participating, one of the handicaps of Clover Point being the necessity of watching for passing craft. The new range, when completed, with its necessary outbuildings, butts, targets, etc., will be one of the most delightful for the exercise of musketry training to be found anywhere on this continent.

AN ATTRACTIVE CONCERT

Pupils of Lampson Street School Prepare Unusual Programme in Aid of Distress

With the object of helping the funds being raised for the relief of distress occasioned by the war or other causes, the teachers and pupils of Lampson Street School have prepared an attractive programme, which will be presented on Friday evening, at 7:30, in the assembly hall of the school.

Upwards of 200 scholars will take part, and every division of the school will be represented.

The programme is a varied one of action songs, dances, sketches and drills.

An audience of 500, or more, can be accommodated in the assembly hall, and, as the prices of tickets range from 10c upwards, it is hoped that a substantial sum may be realized for such a deserving object.

Evangelistic Meetings—The series of evangelistic meetings being held this week in the Wesley Methodist Church, Victoria West, is meeting with encouraging success. The services include bright music and special addresses by the pastor, the Rev. S. J. Thompson, and the Rev. L. S. Allbright, of Hampshire Road Methodist Church. There were six degrees of frost at, To-

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MUST REPAY AMOUNT

East Indian Obtains Judgment for $300 and Costs Against Bank of Vancouver

The Bank of Vancouver was the defendant in an action brought by Amar Singh in the County Court on Monday for restitution of $300, which the plaintiff declared had been paid out of his account without obtaining the payee's endorsation to the cheque. Mr. H. B. Jackson, acting for Amar Singh, maintained that the money had not been disbursed according to Amar Singh's instructions, and that, therefore, it was incumbent on the bank to prove to whom it had been paid. Mr. H. B. Robertson represented the defendants. His Honor Judge Lampman, after hearing the evidence, gave judgment in favor of the plaintiff, holding that there was no more than a suspicion that the man for whom it was intended got the money. As the bank had not exercised proper precautions, having failed to show who had received the amount or to produce its books, it would have to repay the sum with costs.

Evidence was given by Amar Singh as to the circumstances. After depositing $300.15 at the bank, he had given a countryman, named Harnam Singh, a cheque for $300. This transaction had taken place at the office of the payee and Ganga Singh. It was a loan and was to be repaid in two weeks. Afterwards Harnam Singh said he would repay the sum, but later still denied ever having obtained it. Last May 9, Amar had made out a cheque for $300 in his own favor, when he was informed that his account was closed. On this he had taken action against the bank on the ground that, because of its manner of paying the Harnam cheque, he was left no means of recovering from the latter.

Mr. O. [illegible]n, acting manager of the bank, identified the cheque as one which had passed through the hands of the ledger keeper and the teller. From this he concluded that it had been paid to the person presenting it. A man named Fitch was then the teller. He was not now in the bank's employ. Answering questions by Mr. Jackson, witness also admitted that it would be possible for such an official to misappropriate the face value of an accepted cheque and no record indicating wrongdoing would appear on the books.

ROSSLAND MINING NEWS

South Kootenay Mines Make Splendid Showing in Shipments of Ore for Year

ROSSLAND, B. C., Oct. 28.—Six cars of ore were shipped from the United Copper mine at Chewelah, Wash., to the Smelter through Rossland in the week ending October 14. The Centre Star mine, of the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company at Rossland, was the big shipper with 92 cars. The tonnage for the week and year follows: Centre Star—Week 4,850; year, 140,898. Le Roi—Week, 1,400; year, [illegible]. Josie—Week, 250; year, [illegible]. United Copper, Chewelah—Week, [illegible]

The Phoenix mine in the south belt of Rossland is owned by the Phoenix Mining Company, which is officered in Spokane, and has leased the property for a term of years to John Ruffner. The conditions call for a certain amount of work each month. The property is one of the best known of the old mines of the early days.

The Sunset mine, which adjoins the Phoenix on the north, also in the south belt, is said to have been acquired by the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company. It was put up for auction in the East. The mine was productive several years ago and is considered a valuable property. It formerly was owned by the Canadian Goldfields Syndicate.

The annual meeting of the West Kootenay Power & Light Company, Limited, was held here this week and adjourned to meet in Montreal on November 2. Mr. Lorne A. Campbell, general manager, has left for the East to attend it. The three subsidiary companies supplying light and power to this whole district, the [illegible] & Light Company, the [illegible] Water Power Company, [illegible] cade Water Power & [illegible] also held their annual [illegible]

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THE WAR

The latest day dispatches yesterday stated that the Germans are falling back all along the line from La Bassee to the sea. La Bassee is a town in France, some forty-five miles south of Nieuport, fifteen miles north of Arras and about the same distance southwest of Lille. Earlier dispatches said that the violence of the German attack between Dixmude and Nieuport had abated, and the effort to force a way through the line of the Allies near the former town had been successfully resisted, the Allies continuing to advance north and east of Ypres. If the last statement is correct, the first one would seem to follow as a matter of course, for with the fleet renewing its bombardment, and an advance from Ypres, it is difficult to see how the enemy can do anything else than retire. A dispatch that came by way of Switzerland describes the slaughter in this part of the battle line as simply a massacre. The enemy's casualties between Dixmude and Nieuport alone were put at 46,000 a few days ago, and they must now exceed 50,000. Along the line south of Dixmude the list cannot be much shorter. Men are being sacrificed by the German commanders utterly without counting the cost, and out of all proportion to the possible gains. It is not in human nature for an army to stand this sort of thing indefinitely. The tactics of hurling great masses of men against an entrenched foe is proving as disastrous as it was expected to by all outside judges, but it is a course which the Germans will probably adhere to, for the reason that the whole system of their training has been to crush out individual action, and hence the men will not fight in open order.

The statement is made that the British force occupying Ypres has advanced fifteen miles towards the north and five miles towards the east. In so limited a battlefield these are large gains. It is said that the Allies have made advances from the line joining Cambrin and Arras. Cambrin is a town a short distance to the southwest of La Bassee, above referred to, and some eighteen miles north of Arras. Assuming this statement, which is official, and that first above mentioned to be correct, the whole line of the Allies from Nieuport to Arras, a distance of more than sixty miles is moving forward. This seems to mean that the attempt to reach the coast ports of Northern France has failed. We are not making this statement at all positively, although it is what we have been expecting with confidence and is in keeping with the feeling of satisfaction reported to exist in official circles in Paris and London. It was also anticipated in the recent letters of correspondents of the London press, who have been given rather more freedom of observation recently. The events of the past week seem to prove that the line of the Allies between Arras and the sea, which by the way runs nearly north and south, is so strong that the enemy cannot pierce it.

Simultaneously with the report of reduced activity near the coast, there comes a story of a revival of effort on the part of the enemy along the Aisne and in the vicinity of Craonne. This town is about ten miles to the northwest of Berry au Bac. This attempt to break through our lines there, if that was the objective of the attack, failed. Further east, that is in the Woevre district, which is between Verdun and the German frontier, a French advance is reported.

On the Eastern field the Russians claim that their successes continue. In Poland the fighting seems to be to the southwest of Warsaw, that is in the direction of Cracow from the Polish capital. They also say they have gained notable successes over the Austro-Hungarian troops in Galicia. In East Prussia the Germans have assumed the offensive, but they are said to have been repulsed.

Reviewing the whole situation, there appears to be nothing in it unfavorable to the Allies, but conditions are rather otherwise. The fact that Berlin has not recently sent out any claims of signal successes is presumptive evidence that the German authorities do not find much in the existing state of things to warrant optimistic forecasts.

SETTLING THE PROVINCE

We have an interesting interview with the Attorney-General in regard to the settlement of the Province. Mr. Bowser's observations were inspired by some remarks made by Mr. J. S. Dennis, of the Canadian Pacific, who expects, and, we think, justifiably, that after the war there will be a great influx of people into America from Europe. The war, by the awful destruction it has caused, will do very much to break up the ties which bind the people to their home countries. Tens of thousands of them will wish to settle in a new and clean land, where there are no scars of war. To most of them British Columbia will be more attractive than any other great vacant area, and the opening of the Panama Canal has made it possible for them to reach our shores at a small expense compared to what would be the cost of a transoceanic and transcontinental journey. The United States will not offer many attractions to emigrants from Europe. The cities there are overcrowded, and to get on satisfactory farm lands is no easy matter for any large number of people. British Columbia can take care of very many and can give them land on terms that will be inviting, and life in surroundings characterized by peaceful and settled conditions. It seems logical to infer that such opportunities will not remain unutilized.

Mr. Bowser speaks of the great new areas that will be opened by the completion of the new railway lines. It is a fine commentary upon the policy of the Government of the Province that, by taking time by the forelock and providing for railway construction, it has now, during the progress of the war, great preparations in progress that will provide a means whereby the refugees from war-swept Europe can make homes in this land of promise.

Mr. Bowser also speaks of the necessity for making ready for the incoming of these new people, and intimates that the whole question of land settlement is one that will receive the attention of the Legislature at its next session. Such a line of action follows as a matter of course upon the work of opening the country by lines of transportation, now shortly to be completed. Sir Richard McBride has often said that no one can possibly better appreciate than he the desirability of placing settlers on the land, but he has always maintained that it would be little short of criminal to do so before means of communication were provided. Now that this has been done, the time is ripe for an advance in that direction.

THE WESTERN BATTLE LINE

Rightly to estimate the construction of the battle line in France and Belgium it is necessary to go back to September 12, when the Germans, after their retirement from as far south as Coulommiers, entrenched themselves along the banks of the Aisne. On that date the main line ran from east to west, approximately from Noyon to Pont-a-Mousson. It soon became apparent that both sides were so strongly entrenched that neither could make impressions by frontal attacks. On September 18 General Joffre informed Sir John French, whose troops occupied the extreme left of the line, that an effort would be made on that wing to flank the enemy. Simultaneously a new French army commenced operations out of Amiens. The prolongation of the flank had commenced. Every movement of the Allies was followed by a corresponding movement on the part of the enemy. The result was that the battle line began to assume the shape of the letter L, the angle of which was at Lassigny, lying just east of Noyon. By early in October the line running north and south had extended as far as Arras, and about this time the enemy made a prodigious effort to break through at the junction of the two fronts. His success would have enabled him to cut the communications between Amiens and Paris, and, by driving a wedge in the Allies' battle line, he would have seriously interfered with the object which their flanking strategy had in view. The attacks made were very violent, their full brunt being borne by the French, who at some points, were compelled to give way. The front remained unbroken. Communications between the two fronts of the Allied army were never interrupted and before long the French were able to regain the ground they had lost in the angle of the L. By October 10 the left wing of the Allies had been pushed beyond Ypres.

When the Belgian frontier was reached the Germans apparently began to appreciate the extreme danger which faced them, for it was about this time, during the early part of October, that definite operations against Antwerp were commenced. The enemy realised that if his right wing was overborne the peril from the Belgian army in his rear would be accentuated. The taking of Antwerp was obviously preliminary to the withdrawal of German troops through Belgium. How grave this possibility had become was found in the manner in which Antwerp was attacked. In the siege operations no fewer than 200 guns of 11 in., 12 in., and 17 in. calibre were employed and the city fell within three days after these were placed in position. As soon as the troops used in the investment were released they were hurried in pursuit of the Belgian army which had fallen back to take up its position on the extreme left of the Allies' front. This accession of strength to the battle line extended it from north of Ypres to the North Sea. During the past fortnight, between Ostend and La Bassee, the enemy has made repeated attempts to break through the line, simultaneously with a similar offensive movement at St. Mihiel, where it is necessary to force the Allies back if the investment of Toul is to be undertaken. All efforts of the enemy have been repulsed. In Belgium positions have been taken and retaken many times, but the general progress made by the Allies has been substantial, while from Tourcoing to Arras they have succeeded in holding the ground they have won. Further south to the angle of the L we have described, but little fighting has taken place while in the entrenchments running from Lassigny to near Verdun there has been a notable lull only broken at intervals with unimportant results.

In the position, as we have attempted to describe it, no allusion has been made to the army of France fighting southwards from Pont-a-Mousson along the Alsace-Lorraine frontier. The struggle in this area has probably been as fierce as anywhere else along the front, but the dispatches dealing with the situation there have been very vague. All that is certain is that the French have, at points, penetrated into Alsace and are believed to occupy Altkirch. They also occupy the principal passes in the Vosges Mountains and have successfully prevented a German advance on Belfort.

WHAT THE NAVY IS DOING

The New York World, in commenting on what Count von Bernstorff had to say about the possibility of Germany invading Canada, said: "As long as the British navy is afloat Germany has no more chance of invading Canada than she has of invading the moon." This is true, and the eventuality is one that would not be worth discussion were it not that it serves to draw attention to the part that the British navy is playing in the present war. The triumphs of sea power during the past three months have been greater than any achieved in the past. Before the war, anyone who suggested that the success of British naval policy would have been so sweeping and so instantaneous would have been regarded as a too optimistic apostle of the Blue Water School, but the results have exceeded all expectations, and we have only, as yet, begun to realise the beginnings of these. The navy is paying for its upkeep over and over again. It is securing the transport of the Empire's food supplies and guaranteeing the safety of her armies.

Yesterday we drew attention to a memorandum which was attached to the German Navy Bill of 1900, which told in plain language what Germany must suffer in the event of an unsuccessful naval war. All that memorandum foretold is happening. The value of the economic pressure being brought to bear upon the enemy cannot be overestimated, when we consider its consequences in limiting the duration of the war. The naval correspondent of The London Daily Telegraph sums up what the navy already has to its credit in the following way:

1. "As long as the navy is weak, the army cannot hold its own," Lord Wolseley once remarked. Let this not be forgotten when we read of the slow but sure triumph of our arms on the battlefields of the continent.

2. "The British navy must carry the British army on its back." Let this not be forgotten when we read of the arrival at European ports of transports from the outposts of the Empire. Not a soldier coming overseas has been lost.

3. "Whosoever commands the sea commands the trade, whosoever commands the trade of the world commands the riches of the world, and consequently the world itself." This was Raleigh's declaration. Let it not be forgotten, when plans are being discussed for capturing German trade, that our freedom to contemplate such a campaign rests on the efficiency of the fleet.

4. "The merchant navy can live only so long as the war navy is active and supreme." Let this not be forgotten as our ships come and go over the seas of the world, bringing us food and raw material and taking our manufactures to oversea markets.

5. "German shipping detained or captured: Number of ships, 387, of 1,140,000 tons." This is the official record, which Captain Cyril Fuller has since improved to the extent of 31,000 tons. Let this not be forgotten as we pursue our "business as usual."

6. "To attain the goal which has been set—the protection of our sea trade and of our colonies"—so the famous German memorandum stated—Germany needs a great fleet. Let not this ambition be forgotten as we watch Germany's sea trade being strangled and her colonial Empire wrested from her.

IN SOUTH AFRICA

While the uprising in South Africa is unpleasant it is not alarming, and we think that General Botha may be trusted to deal with it. The principal objection to it is that it is the only instance throughout the whole British Empire where any spirit of disunion has been shown. It is not difficult to understand that many of the Boers have not wholly recovered from the feeling engendered by the war which terminated in the Union of South Africa. It may also be that German influence and German money may have proved too great a temptation to some of the Boer leaders, although we should only come to this conclusion after knowing all the facts. General De Wet, who has put himself at the head of the new movement, although he signed the treaty of peace, has always been more or less of an irreconcilable, even while he was holding a very responsible position under the Government.

FOOD IN GERMANY

It is a good thing to take lessons from the enemy when we can; and while there is nothing in Canada that makes necessary such lines of economy as must be practised in the German Empire, the following summary from The Lancet may be read with advantage even here: There has been drawn up by medical men in Germany a memorandum on the saving of food in war time. It disclaims any anxiety about famine, but recommends prudent use of foodstuffs lest there be a bad harvest in 1915. Rye flour is normally exported from Germany, but it will be required to replace wheat, of which a third of that annually used in Germany is imported. Bread is to be made of wheat and rye flour mixed, and the wheat bran is also to be included in the dough. A single meal of meat a day is enough, and the rich should remember this and show a good example. Veal, the special fancy of Germany, must be given up to grow into beef, and suitable pastures must be ploughed up for cornfields next year. Cheese is to be made a staple food and vegetables are to be grown everywhere, particularly on dug-up lawns in towns. People are to drink water, not beer, a sacrifice small in comparison with those of the soldiers in the field, and the barley so saved is to be used in breadmaking. Potatoes are not to be used for making spirits, and potato meal is also to eke out the wheat meal for breadmaking.

ANGOLA

The Portuguese colony of Angola, which has been invaded by German forces, lies between the Congo and German West Africa. To the west is the Atlantic, and to the east in the interior is part of the Congo and British Central Africa. Angola is by far the greatest of Portugal's possessions, and has a stretch of coast extending over 1,000 miles. The coast is low in the north and crossed by hill spurs; in the south the general elevation is higher, and the edge of the African plateau approaches the sea. Unlike the southern coasts, Angola possesses several good harbors at intervals all along the front, the foremost being Loanda, Mossamedes, Port Alexander, and Great Fish Bay (Bahia dos Tigres). The mountains in the north form the great watershed which separate the waters flowing south and those which flow north into the Congo. A spur of this range follows the coastline. In the south of the great province is an extensive tableland which has an altitude of over 6,000 feet, while its loftiest peaks are considerably over 7,500 feet. The chief rivers are the Zambesi, Kwanza, Cunene, and the Cubango. The northern and central coasts are malarial, being somewhat lower than those of the southern portion, which enjoys a comparatively equable climate. In the interior, on the plateau, where the land is subject to the refreshing and cool sea winds, the climate is similar to that of Southern Europe. In regard to flora, the north is a mixture of savannas and groves of oil palms. The savanna region proper is in the centre and to the south. Along the sea front, the vegetation is scanty, the chief plant being the mangrove, which flourishes close to the water. The trade of Angola is chiefly with Portugal and her colonies, and consists of the usual tropical produce. In the fifteenth century the country was discovered by some Portuguese mariners, who claimed it and established trading posts. Since that time Angola has remained in the hands of Portugal and the administration is carried out by the Governor-General.

The many Victorians who know Mr. James A. Douglas will be glad to learn of the success he has achieved as a dramatic author. As will be seen in our news columns today his new play, "King Popcorn" has been received with great favor. Mr. Douglas is already well known in literary circles in England and is enhancing his reputation as an author.

The Berliner Tageblatt in a recent issue said: "The day on which our army passed from the defensive to the offensive will remain memorable for Germany, for from now onwards we are undertaking the principal object of this war, which is to destroy Russia." This is a brand new reason for the war. It looks now as if Germany had made a mistake in devoting so much attention to France and Belgium prior to marching from Augustowo to Vladivostok.

It is highly regrettable that a report affecting the bona fides of Mr. Simon Leiser, started by busybodies and without the slightest foundation, should have obtained currency. All Victorians who know this gentleman and are aware of how hard he has worked for the development of the city will place the stamp of their emphatic disapproval on the idle rumor with which his name has been connected. Mr. Leiser has lived here for many years. All his family are residents of British Columbia and are among its most respected citizens. Those who have been responsible for circulating the rumor to which we allude cannot have stopped to consider how injurious their efforts may prove on the reputation of a gentleman who has probably done more in the interests of good citizenship than all his would-be detractors who have helped to circulate an erroneous report.

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M. Atkins De Londres—
Wot oh!—Tipperary, Miss?—Honest, I dunno;
Only wot some donah, neme of Mary,
Lives there, and from Lunnon it's a stiffish bit to go.
That's all I can tell of Tipperary.

Heloise De Picardie—
Highlander, Highlander, rollicking along;
How you sing so prettily, mon cheri!
Tell me, of the valley that you are praising in your song—
Are the blossoms fair in Tipperairee?

Corporal "Mac" De Glesga—
Bonnie lass, bonnie lass, we be Scots sae braw,
Therefore we be canny mon and wary;
Aiblins we micht tell a lass of hoo the gowans graw,
Naethin do we ken o' Tupperary.

Heloise De Picardie—
Irishman, Irishman, sing to the breeze,
Warbling of your country and the fairy
Waiting of her soldier in your Erin overseas,
Tell me of your love, and Tipperairee!

Le Fusilier O'Hara—
Bless yer sowl, achulsa! sure you've got me in a spell,
Askin' such a question: for I've nary
Swatcheart—'less yerself 'll say the word—an', sad to tell,
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—E. A. Morphy in The Pall Mall Gazette.

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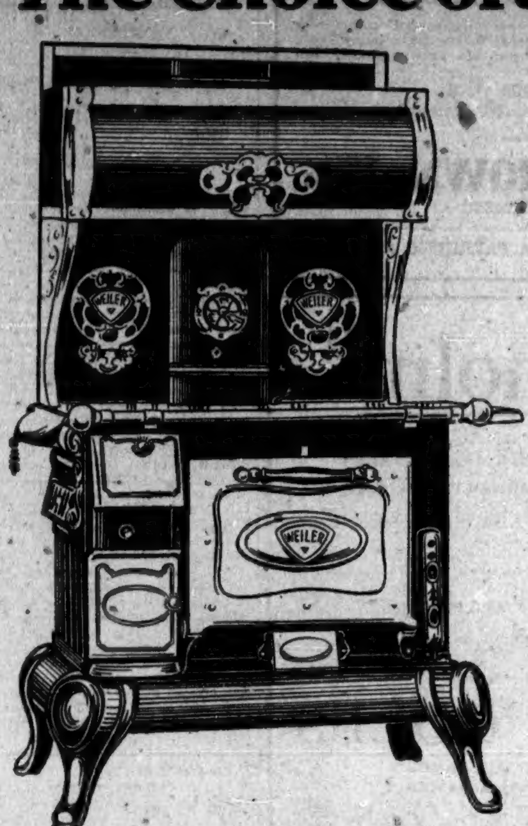

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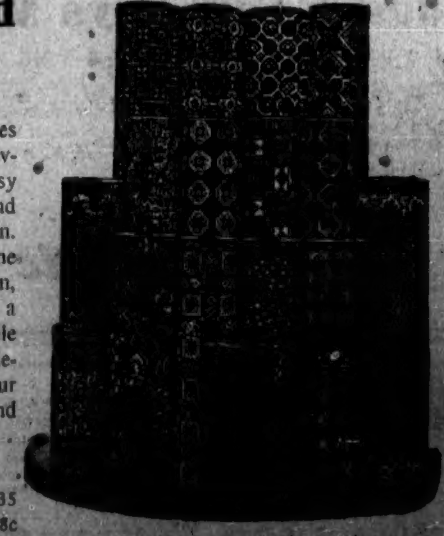

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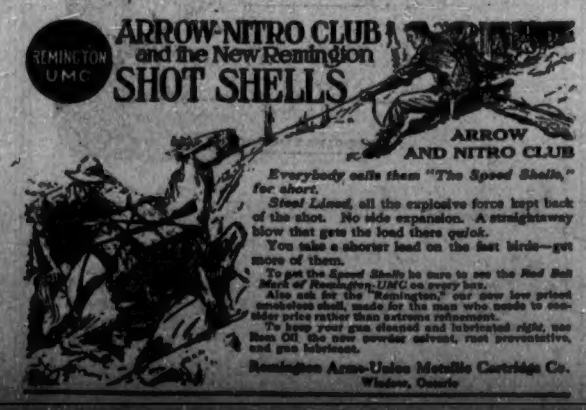

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ANNUAL REPORT SHOWS YEAR OF ACTIVITY

Women's Canadian Club Holds Fifth Annual Meeting — Large Growth in Membership —Success of Organization.

The Women's Canadian Club held its fifth annual meeting yesterday afternoon in the Rest Room of the Y. W. C. A. Mrs. Jenkins, the president, occupied the chair, and the meeting was crowded to the doors.

Mrs. Jenkins announced that as a president's address often meant a great deal of useless repetition, she would give no lengthy speech, but desired to congratulate the club on one of the most successful years in its history. The first twelve months had seen a solid growth of membership and kept strictly and without deviation to the lines of its organization. It had undoubtedly a great career before it. No more loyal officers or faithful executive could be met with than those with whom she had worked for the past year, and she had greatly enjoyed their co-operation and the sympathy and good will of the members.

Report of Year

A lengthy but intensely interesting report was presented by Mrs. Nicol. During the year 162 active members and six honorary members had been enrolled, bringing the register of members up to 495, and an unusually large number of meetings had been organized. The chief departure, the Canadian History Study Class, had been started in November, those addressing these meetings, in chronological order, being Mrs. H. E. Young, M. A., who gave a preliminary study from the time of the earliest exploration and opening up of the country; Mrs. F. A. McDiarmid, Mrs. A. C. Burdick and Miss Andrew, who dealt with the early French explorers; Mr. F. Wood, B. A., on Frontenac and the French regime; Mrs. Suddaby, on the Fall of Quebec; Mr. F. A. McDiarmid and Mrs. H. C. Hannington on the United Empire Loyalists. Mrs. W. G. Fortune, on Western Explorers; Mrs. J. D. Gordon, on the War of 1812; Mrs. A. E. McPhillips, on British Columbia; and Col. McIllree, on the Northwest Mounted Police.

Those entertained by the club during the year included Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Quinlan, Mrs. Arthur Murphy, the Rev. D. Mackay, of Vancouver, and the Rev. Dr. Pollock, of Belfast, Ireland. Through the generosity of Mrs. T. W. Paterson, a delightful reception had been given to the club at Government House, when Sir Richard McBride had given an address, and Mrs. J. J. Banfield, president of the Vancouver Women's Canadian Club, and Mrs. Jonathan Rogers, the late president in Vancouver, were also among the guests. Among the six honorary members admitted during the year was Mrs. Newall, of London, a daughter of the late Col. Moody, who had been presented with copies of Pauline Johnson's poems, and Mrs. Dennis Harris's Indian Legends, a club pin and a bouquet. In acknowledgment Mrs. Newall had expressed the desire to present the club with an embroidered banner. This had been especially designed by Col. McClure, and was now being embroidered in England to Miss Newall's order. The Eastern delegates to the Vancouver Convention of Associated Canadian Clubs, attended by Mrs. Jenkins as Victoria's representative, had been entertained in Victoria by the men's and women's Canadian clubs to a luncheon at the Empress Hotel.

Pleasant Incidents

A birthday memorial had been sent to Sir Charles Tupper by the Women's Canadian Club, on the occasion of his 93nd birthday, and bouquets had been presented to Miss Margaret Anglin, the distinguished Canadian actress, and to Miss Helen Keller, on their visiting the city. A hamper of Christmas cheer had been sent to Dr. Anderson for the men of the Karluk, Stefansson expedition, and donations made had included sums to Sir George E. Carter Memorial Fund, the Pauline Johnson Memorial Fund, the Belgian Relief Fund, and the Girls' Portia Prize.

Mrs. Nicol concluded with thanks to the Hon. Dr. Young, for his invitations to the club members to attend the foundation stone laying of the new Normal School, and to the reception of Japanese officers at Parliament Buildings, also to the Men's Canadian Club and Natural History Society for courtesies received. She also expressed the thanks of the club to those members who had presented papers, or contributed to the musical programmes, and to the Y. W. C. A. for its many kind services, while the assistance of the press was gratefully acknowledged.

The report was formally adopted with a standing vote of thanks to Mrs. Nicol for her indefatigable work.

Financial Statement

Mrs. Frank Andrews presented the treasurer's report as follows: Total receipts, $983.33; expenditure, $888.28; leaving a balance in hand of $95.45. The Kirmess Fund included cash in bank, $793.82; with interest to date, $14.71; amounting to a total of $873.53.

A standing vote of thanks to Mrs. Andrews was also taken with the adoption of this report, which concluded the business for the past year.

A stirring appeal to the members was made by Mrs. H. E. Young, M. A., on behalf of the orphans of the Belgian refugees. Unless pity crystallized the active self sacrifice it would only injure their own characters. It was the duty of the Women's Canadian Club to give sanctuary in a new land to these poor terrified children, and render them happy and self-supporting. Mrs. Young then sketched it brief but vivid fashion a practical scheme whereby the home at Ladysmith, started by the Rev. Father Macdonell, might be utilized as a refuge for a number of these little ones. Women who could not give money could at least help with the outfitting of the children, or, perhaps, adopt one or two in their own homes.

Local Suggestion Spreads

Mrs. Jenkins reminded the meeting that as their scheme of Canadian History Study had been adopted by widely separated branches of the club through the Dominion, so the good seed sown by the adoption of Mrs. Young's scheme might bear good fruit throughout the length and breadth of Canada. The suggestion was heartily endorsed by Mrs. T. W. Paterson, honorary president of the club, and by Mrs. J. D. Gordon, who moved that the matter as outlined by Mrs. Young, should be taken up by the meeting. This resolution was seconded by Mrs. W. J. Roper, and after some discussion, was adopted unanimously, it being decided that a special committee under Mrs. Young should go carefully into the question and present a report at the next meeting.

An appeal on behalf of the soldiers and sailors was made by Mrs. McPhillips, who stated that an erroneous impression existed to the effect that no more socks and mittens were needed. All the men at the front and those going with future contingents should be supplied with a warm stock of extra comforts in the shape of socks, mittens, cummerbunds, helmets and mufflers, and if all the stock in the shops were bought up and all the women of the country employed in knitting those things, there would not be too many for the millions of men engaged the length of time that might be involved.

The election of officers which constituted the remaining business of the meeting resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Jenkins (re-elected); first vice-president, Mrs. H. E. Young, M. A.; second vice-president, Mrs. A. E. McPhillips; secretary and treasurer respectively, Mrs. Thomas Nicol and Mrs. Frank Andrew (re-elected by acclamation); assistant secretary, Miss McTavish. The following ladies compose the committee: Mrs. E. C. Hart, M. A.; Mrs. Kerr, Mrs. F. A. McDiarmid, Mrs. W. J. Roper, Mrs. W. J. Bowser, Mrs. L. H. Hardie and Miss Mary Lawson.

The meeting closed at 5:45 o'clock with the singing of the National Anthem.

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VICTORIAN AUTHOR PRODUCES NEW PLAY

Mr. James A. Douglas Scores Great Success With Amusing Comedy Produced at Hastings, England

The following extract from The Hastings Observer (Sussex, England), refers to the new play "King Popcorn," written by Mr. James A. Douglas, who is well known here, being a grandson of the late Sir James Douglas.

"Playgoers at the Hastings Gaiety Theatre on Thursday evening had the pleasure of witnessing the first performance of a new play.

"The author is Mr. James A. Douglas, whose name is well known in literary circles, and his new venture shows much originality and versatility. The play is a comedy in three acts, and teems with fun, much of which is of the swift American type. The popcorn is a symbol of the land of the Stars and Stripes, and millionaires, of which the Popcorn King is a worthy representative. He made his money out of rags, bones, bottles and potash, and then he turns his attention to the toothsome delicacy, and so becomes a monarch of delight. Like many a quick-made millionaire, he has a liking for the British aristocracy, and he is not at all offended when he finds that his nephew's heart's desire is a niece of an English aristocrat, the Duke of Lessex. Of course, it is only natural that the blue-blooded acquisition to the family should be made to take an interest in the Popcorn business, and thereby hangs a very amusing and entertaining story, which is well worked out, and full of novelties, all going to prove that the American millionaire is a hearty, generous, lovable old fellow. There is all through a Western freshness, kindness and boldness which are quite refreshing, with an everlasting undercurrent of humor.

"Mr. Harry Elliston, in the leading part as Mr. Tingle, the American millionaire, has a very fine time throughout the play, and proves himself a very capable actor, with a tremendous amount of energy. Mr. Edward Beecher, as a somewhat bored and supercilious aristocrat, plays his part well. Mr. Leonard Calvert, as the Rev. Hickory Spool, who is somewhat badly in love, makes plenty of fun, and the same may be said of Mr. Frank Bayley as Stephen Shanks, described as an oyster on the half shell, his father having made his pile as an oyster merchant. There are only two ladies in the cast, Miss Helen Vicary playing Lady Matilda Wandlestead, and Miss Helen Fidgin, Lady Sybil Wandlestead. They are both possessed of accomplishments and charms.

"Those who like an amusing piece, with not too much plot and plenty of breeziness, should not fail to visit the Theatre at either of the performances today (Saturday) at 3:30 and 7:45.

"There is also a curtain raiser by the same author, entitled "The Outcome of Agitation," which has many points of merit.

"In response to hearty calls at the Thursday evening, the author presented himself, and received the applause of the audience."

TAKES HUGE STICK

Merionethshire Will Carry Giant Flagpole Destined for British Columbia Building at London

The most interesting item of the outward cargo to be shipped from this Coast by the Royal Mail steamship Merionethshire, is a giant flagpole which she will carry to London and which will be erected in front of the British Columbia Government offices.

This pole is 230 feet in length, and is 4 feet at the butt. The giant stick will be carried on deck.

PATRIOTIC AID FUND

Donations From Concerts a Popular Form of Contributing—Loyalty of Indians

Yesterday, through Mr. F. C. Drake, the secretary of the committee, the sum of $50 reached the Victoria Patriotic Aid Society, being the proceeds of a concert held at Hillier. This form of contribution is proving a very helpful factor in swelling the proceeds of the fund for the relief of those who are in a dependent position as the result of enlistment for the war; and the trustees will be glad if every community throughout the Island will take similar action.

At a meeting held at Tofino, West Coast of the Island, donations to the extent of $215 were sent to the Canadian Patriotic Fund, and the following resolution was passed:

"Whereas, the great war in Europe which has long threatened has at last broken out in such a manner as to involve many nations, and

"Whereas, the flagrant violation of the treaty of London by the German Government has made it necessary for Great Britain, in order to maintain her traditions and reputation for integrity before the world, to enter into the great struggle, and

"Whereas, Canada, a loyal Dominion of that great Empire, fully realizes her responsibility, has [illegible] people to go to the front and bear the burden of the conflict in this time of peril, which request has been so splendidly responded to, therefore

"Be it resolved that this meeting pledges itself to assist financially in the support of the wives and families of those who have thus volunteered for the protection of our homes and country."

HAD NO WIRELESS

Kohse Brothers Deny Statement That Their Motor Boat Was Provided With Telegraph System

An emphatic denial is given by Messrs. Otto Kohse and John Schnarr to the report that the motor boat, which left Victoria some weeks ago and was stopped on its way North by the authorities, was equipped with a wireless apparatus. They state that there was absolutely no foundation for such an assertion and that it had put them in an altogether false light.

The two young men named called at The Colonist yesterday and asked that they be allowed to publicly explain the situation from their standpoint. Otto Kohse, a lad of about eighteen years of age, was not one of those who sailed from this port. He and his sister, Miss Bertha Kohse, were coming from Prince Rupert and it was arranged that the launch would meet them at Campbell River. Mr. Schnarr, who started from Victoria, asserts that it was understood that the authorities had no objection to their going. The Provincial Police had been consulted before [illegible] departure. It was their intention [illegible] Schnarr affirmed, to [illegible] owned by the Kohse [illegible] Inlet. Their plan, it was [illegible] spend the Winter there [illegible] Schnarr did some [illegible]

They sought to give a [illegible] their case, it was explained, [illegible] reach them to correct the [illegible] precision which had been [illegible] purpose in leaving the [illegible]

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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Bank Clearings—The total bank clearings for the week ending October 27 amounted to $1,889,361.

Remanded Again—As Mr. Bullock-Webster was engaged in the County Court, the prosecution of Charlie Bo and J. M. Chow, who are accused of perjury and forgery in connection with the trial of J. Gordon Grant, could not be proceeded with in the police court yesterday morning. Another remand was granted today.

Seek Citizenship—In the County Court next Monday Judge Lampman will deal with sixteen naturalization applications. Of these two are Germans and two come from Austria-Hungary. Four are natives of Sweden, two are subjects of Russia and a similar number are Norwegian immigrants. One each come from the United States, Finland, Italy and Greece.

Perished on The Hogue—Another young man well known among Victorians, whose name will be cherished as one who died for his country, is Mr. S. Lloyd Roberts, assistant-paymaster of H. M. S. Hogue. He perished when his ship went down in the North Sea a short time ago. The late Mr. Roberts was the only son of Capt. L. Lloyd Roberts, Provincial Land Surveyor. He has been a resident for some years and, at present, is attached to the military censor staff at Bamfield.

Given His Liberty—Morris Cull, who on Tuesday pleaded guilty in the police court to molesting pedestrians on Douglas Street, was given his liberty by the magistrate on the understanding that, should he again be arraigned, the sentence will be exceptionally severe. In acting thus leniently it was taken into account that Cull received a sound drubbing from one of those whose attention was drawn to the inconvenience he was causing and that already he had been two days in jail.

Three-Month Sentence—Three months' imprisonment was the sentence pronounced on King, a Chinaman, for vagrancy yesterday in the police court. Alfred Sellick, of 2808 Douglas Street, was responsible for his arraignment. Mr. Sellick has premises on Seaview Avenue, and he found the Chinaman hovering about his chicken houses with an empty sack. His intention seemed obvious. King had just been released from jail. This time he will spend an extended period in durance vile.

Hallowe'en Social—Arrangements are being made at the Y. M. C. A. for the Hallowe'en social which will be held there on Friday night. The lobby and main apartments of the building are being beautifully decorated with holly and ivy by committees of the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A., under whose joint direction the social will be held, and special committees are preparing entertainments of a varied and unique character. One of the features will be a series of patriotic tableaux staged by the Metropolitan League. An interlude of fifteen minutes will be devoted to the singing of patriotic songs.

Conference Postponed—There will be no conference between different public organizations of the Pacific Northwest at Seattle on November 5. This has been announced by the Oregon Development League with the explanation that the conditions have not been found favorable for such a gathering on the date named. At this gathering it was proposed discussing the $17.50 Southern Pacific arbitrary and contemplated methods of directing tourist travel via the Northwest next year. The communication concludes: "This postponement need in no way affect the individual activities of each organization. On the contrary, it is hoped that each organization, through its affiliations and membership, will do everything in its power to increase 1915 travel in this direction."

As To Interest—On behalf of two Saanich property owners an application was made by Fred C. Elliott before Mr. Justice Gregory in the Supreme Court yesterday. The point at issue was the period over which the Canadian Northern Pacific Railway Co. would be required to pay interest on the amounts which have been awarded those who have had portions of their holdings expropriated. Mr. Elliott's contention was that the company should pay interest from the date of actual occupation to that of the satisfaction of the owner's claim. For the company Mr. E. C. Mayers took the view that it should be figured to the date of the deposit of money in court. His Lordship agreed with the latter contention, and it was so ordered.

Outside Units Expected—No definite word has been received yet as to when the Mainland forces, which are to unite with detachments of the Fusiliers and the Highlanders in the composition of the local second Canadian contingent battalion, will reach the city. They are expected, however, in the course of a few days, and the provision of accommodation for them at the Willows is occupying the attention of local officers. The staff of the Victoria battalion will consist of Lieut.-Col. John A. Hall in command and others to be named as follows: Two majors, paymaster, quartermaster, medical officer, machine gun officer, signal officer and adjutant. The Fusiliers and Highlanders will contribute 250 men each, and to each company there will be a captain and two subalterns.

General Warning—Officers of the different local regiments have requested that a warning be issued to the owners of motor boats and other small craft as to the use of the waters lying immediately outside Clover Point Range. As firing is taking place almost daily, those who venture off the point, and within range, place themselves in danger. Naturally those in charge of the men engaged in practice keep a very close look out, and, as soon as a boat is seen within the danger zone, the cease firing order is given. It is possible, however, that even the vigilance of the officers will fail to discover the approach of small boats, so that it would be much safer for the latter to keep away from the locality, or, if this is not possible, to make their presence unmistakably apparent to those on the range.

Many Inquiries—Those interested in the timber of Vancouver Island report that many inquiries have been received of late for sections of hemlock, balsam or spruce. All varieties, especially hemlock, are to be found in quantities all over the West Coast. They are used in the manufacture of pulp, and the capitalists who are taking steps to ascertain the resources of the Island in this respect are believed to contemplate the establishment of large manufacturing plants. Several offers, it is reported, are being investigated, and, should they be found satisfactory to the prospective purchasers, the latter have ample financial backing to carry through any enterprise which may be launched. The fact that Germany has been the source of about two-thirds of the pulp used and that this supply has been cut off as a result of the war is believed to be the explanation of the movement in this direction.

Successful Recital—The recital given by the choir of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church last evening was well attended and in every respect highly successful. Mr. J. A. Longfield, the organist, departed from his usual custom by inviting assistance in the instrumental part of the programme, Mr. J. L. Smith playing two numbers very acceptably, and Miss Hastie accompanying Mr. Longfield in a fine duo based upon the National Anthem. Mr. W. Quick contributed two effective numbers. The choir did work of the high standard which marks the singing in St. Andrew's. In Mendelssohn's "Hear My Prayer," Mrs. Macdonald Fahey sang an obligato in which the great power of her voice was heard to much advantage. She also sang Haydn's "With Verdure Clad," in which number the purity and flexibility of her tones were very marked. Mr. Longfield's instrumental work was, as it always is, spirited and inspiring.

Orange Entertainment—Last evening the members of the Sir Edward Carson Orange Lodge celebrated the second anniversary of its inauguration by a concert, social and dance. Over 250 attended, and a most enjoyable evening was spent. Mr. Leonard Tait, Worshipful Master, in a short speech, thanked the large gathering for their attendance and said that he was proud to have been chosen to occupy an exalted office in this lodge. The "Versatile Tramps," a local organization, contributed the concert part of the programme. Mr. J. W. Davis, leader; Mr. P. T. Neeve, accompanist; A. Haines, J. Lea, W. Cobbett, P. Baker, T. Obee and J. Webb, supported by Mrs. Hobday, the Misses Tait, Mr. Dougall and Jock Melville, furnished a pleasing programme and many encores were given. The refreshments were dispensed by the ladies of the L.O.B.A., No. 104. Dancing was continued to 1 a.m.

The American Society—A very successful as well as largely attended meeting of this society, was held Tuesday evening at the Dominion Hotel. Several solos were ably rendered by Mrs. Boyd, Mrs. Clark and Mr. Charles Taylor, jr. As the membership of the society has become so large a committee was appointed to find a suitable hall for social purposes, and it is proposed to hold the first celebration on November 26, in honor of the American Thanksgiving Day, notices of which will appear in the papers later. It is hoped that every American living in the city will hold open that evening for this enjoyable event. Much interest was shown, by the placing on sale, of buttons, with a handsome design of the American and Canadian flags, the proceeds to be given to the Victoria Patriotic Aid Fund. The next meeting will be held next Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock, at the Dominion Hotel, when the plans for the Thanksgiving celebration will be discussed.

Must Make Payment—Mrs. Hagan, of Victoria, brought action against Mr. James McNaught, of Sidney, in the County Court yesterday for $300. This amount she claimed was due her in return for a horse named "Dick," which was transferred to Mr. McNaught some months ago. The defendant claimed that he had met his indebtedness by assigning an agreement for sale in which he had an interest to Mrs. Hagan, and that the latter undertook to collect under it. Mrs. Hagan, however, denied that she agreed to make collection. The document had been given her, she stated, simply as security, Mr. McNaught being unable to advance the cash at the time. The defendant had told her that a man named Maynard would make payments shown on the face of the agreement. Mr. Maynard, however, informed her that he did not propose doing so. Mr. McNaught made a counter claim for $285 as damages for alleged breach of warranty. He stated that the horse had gone lame after the purchase. His Honor held that the assignment of the agreement for sale could not be taken as settlement of the debt. The plaintiff was entitled to judgment with costs. He dismissed the cross-action. Mr. D. S. Tait acted for the plaintiff and Mr. H. M. Shandley for the defendant.

ENJOYABLE BANQUET

Men's Own Bible Class, First Congregational Church, Hold Reunion—Presentation to Mr. Hillis

There was a large attendance at the annual banquet last night of the Men's Own Bible Class of the First Congregational Church. Dr. M. A. Matthews, of Seattle, who was to have addressed the gathering, was unable to be present, owing to the death of his father. The Rev. J. G. Inkster, however, gave the meeting an inspiring address, laying stress on the value of personality in the work of the class.

After due justice had been done to the good things liberally provided, a musical programme by members of the Church congregation was much enjoyed.

A pleasant feature of the evening was the presentation by Mr. K. Wiseman, on behalf of the class, of a handsome piece of silver to Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hillis, as a mark of appreciation of their valuable services to the class. Mr. Hillis has been teacher to the class for two years and is leaving Victoria to take up business duties in New York.

THE WEATHER

Meteorological office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p. m., October 28, 1914.

SYNOPSIS

The barometer is slowly falling along the Northern Coast and showery weather may extend southward to Vancouver Island. Rain is now falling along the northern coast and fair, mild weather has been general from this to California, and also across Canada to Manitoba.

TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria, B. C.	47	52
Vancouver	42	48
Penticton	42	49
Kamloops	36	44
Barkerville	28	54
Prince Rupert	40	52
Atlin	32	44
Dawson, Y. T.	22	30
Calgary, Alta.	36	48
Winnipeg, Man.	34	46
Portland, Ore.	42	56
San Francisco, Cal.	50	70

THURSDAY

Maximum	62
Minimum	47
Average	54

Sunshine, 8 hours, 35 minutes.

WEEKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS

Victoria observatory, from 21st to 27th October, 1914.

Victoria—Total amount of bright sunshine, 49 hours, rain .01 inch; highest temperature 63 on 23rd, lowest 43 on 22nd.

Vancouver—Total amount of bright sunshine 37 hours and 24 minutes, rain .05 inch; highest temperature 66 on 25th, lowest 39 on 22nd.

Nanaimo—Total amount of bright sunshine, 40 hours and 45 minutes, rain .01 inch; highest temperature 68 on 24th, lowest 39 on 22nd.

New Westminster—No rain; highest temperature 57 on 23rd, lowest 40 on 22nd.

Kamloops—Total amount of bright sunshine 35 hours and 15 minutes; no rain; highest temperature 58 on 23rd, lowest 30 on 22nd.

Penticton—No rain; highest temperature 55 on 24th, lowest 32 on 22nd.

Nelson—No rain; highest temperature 54 on 22nd, lowest 31 on 22nd and 23rd.

Barkerville—Rain .12 inch; highest temperature 61 on 24th and 25th, lowest 30 on 22nd and 23rd.

Prince Rupert—Rain 1.50 inch; highest temperature 64 on 27th, lowest 42 on 21st.

Atlin—Rain .06 inch; highest temperature 46 on 26th, lowest 36 on 22nd.

Dawson—No rain; highest temperature 46 on 26th, lowest 18 on 24th.

Bishop to Speak—The annual meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the S.P.C.A. will be held on Friday, November 6, at 3 p.m., in the Y. W. C. A. The Bishop of Columbia and others will address the meeting.

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10c Tin Imported Peas	8¢
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INFLUX OF SETTLERS WILL FOLLOW WAR

Hon. W. J. Bowser, Acting Premier, Anticipates New Era for British Columbia Will Open Very Shortly.

That as a result of the war's devastation of a large part of Europe a great tide of settlers will flow to British Columbia, is the opinion held by the Hon. W. J. Bowser, Acting Premier, who, in an interview with The Colonist yesterday, said:

"I have just been reading the report of an interview with Mr. J. S. Dennis, land commissioner of the C. P. R., given to The Montreal Gazette a few days ago. Than Mr. Dennis there is no one in the Dominion more competent to discuss the question of the future of Western Canada in respect to the problem of settlement. He is quoted as saying that as a result of the war there will be a tremendous desire on the part of the inhabitants of the afflicted zone to flee from conditions which have given rise to such a terrible upheaval, and that they will, in great numbers, seek a domicile on the continent of America.

"When one remembers that comparatively little room remains for further settlement, on a large scale, in the United States, and that Canada offers a most inviting field, the full significance of Mr. Dennis' conclusions will be seen. I am hopeful that this will mean a great deal in respect to the immediate future of British Columbia.

Province in Good Position

"With the coming of Spring, this Province will occupy a better position than ever before in the matter of opportunities for intending settlers. Great tracts of fine land, heretofore inaccessible, will have been rendered available by the railway lines now approaching completion. All along the Grand Trunk Pacific in this Province is an immense new country splendidly adapted for settlement, and the same is true in respect to the Pacific Great Eastern and for the portion of the line of the Canadian Northern Pacific.

"Now that the Panama Canal is in operation, the great steamship lines will, I have no doubt, be eager to handle immigrant traffic to Canada from Europe via our Western seaboard. Thus you will see that beyond the natural desire of great numbers of emigrants from the Old Land to come here, there will be the endeavors on the part of the steamship lines to induce travel to this Coast via the canal.

"This will impose heavy responsibilities upon this Province, responsibilities which we must get ready to assume. As I said before, with our great railway building programme completed and splendid new areas available for the settler, it will be our business to try and secure a great proportion of the newcomers and add them to our permanent population. To this end we must work in co-operation with the railway companies, who will be only too anxious to get the people on the land in British Columbia.

A New Era Opening

"It may be urged that we in British Columbia are not able to offer inducements to settlers which can compare in attractiveness to those in the Prairie Provinces. I do not believe that this argument is sound, but there are obvious disabilities attendant upon our efforts to place settlers upon our lands in any large numbers, and these disabilities must be removed to whatever extent may lie in our power. There can be no question that a new era is about opening in respect to the future of this Province in so far as the land settlement problem is concerned. We are going to have the settler knocking at our door, and we must get ready to receive him.

"I anticipate that one of the most important matters dealt with at the forthcoming session of the Legislature will be the whole question of land settlement and aids to agricultural development. To anticipate and appreciate the extent of the responsibility which rests upon us in this connection seems to me a prudent thing to do at this time."

ST. PAUL'S ANNIVERSARY

Presbyterians Hold Commemorative Services and Entertainment at Victoria West

The Presbyterians of Victoria West are celebrating this week the anniversary of the opening of St. Paul's Church under the pastorate of its pastor emeritus, Rev. Donald MacRae, D. D., twenty-three years ago.

On Sunday appropriate sermons were preached by Rev. S. J. Thompson and R. A. Macconnell, the choir under Choirmaster Wm. Macdonald leading the service of praise. Suitable solos were rendered by Messrs. Youson and Olson. On Tuesday evening the anniversary concert was held with Rev. Dr. MacLean in the chair.

The programme, which was entirely composed of items by members of the church, was enjoyed by a large audience, which manifested its appreciation by a voluntary offering of $40. During the evening the Rev. Dr. MacRae made a happy speech, felicitating the congregation on its splendid progress. Light refreshments were served by the Ladies' Aid, under whose auspices the concert was held.

Arrangements are being made to repeat the programme in the branch Sunday school in Esquimalt.

RISKS TWO LIVES

Daring Motorcyclist at Pantages Thrills Big Audiences—Dramatic Sketch Scores Heavily.

Second only in sensational interest to Walter Montague's gripping morality sketch "The Great Question," at Pantages Theatre this week, is the Great Castell's "Dip of Death" on a motorcycle. In a huge cage, whose sides stand at an angle of 37½ degrees from the ground, this daring cyclist dashes madly around and around with his cycle and body parallel with the ground. In the "Dip of Death" he rides up and down in huge sweeps. The vibration of the cage shakes the whole theatre. The slightest mishap would occasion injury or death not only to Castell, but to his woman partner also, who stands in the centre of the cage during the reckless rider's flight.

Miss Georgie Cooper's demonstration of the debutante slouch, her affected accent and keen insight into the character of the worst type of modern society girl is proving the dramatic feature of "The Great Question," while Lauders Stevens' virile denunciation of society immoralities is being greeted with deafening applause. A farcical sketch, a trio of dancers, a clever wire act, and an amusing dialogue are other features of one of the most popular bills which has ever appeared at Pantages Theatre.

"H. M. S. PINAFORE" PROVED POPULAR

Well-Known Gilbert and Sullivan Opera Presented to Good Audience—"Iolanthe" Tonight

A revival of Gilbert and Sullivan is not untimely, and so excellent a company as Mr. De Wolf Hopper has brought together is certain to impress the charm of their work upon any audience. To the present generation such operas as "Pinafore," "Trial by Jury" and "Iolanthe" are by no means familiar. Most people know the principal airs, but very few know all the music or even the greater part of it, so that the operas, when well presented, have to most audiences all the freshness of something new. The company which presented "Pinafore" and "Trial by Jury" at the Royal Victoria last evening is well fitted for the work it undertook. The stage arrangements were excellent, and the costumes fresh and attractive. But it is in their singing ability that the members of the company excell. While none of them may be placed in the class of great artists, the principals all sing admirably and the chorus is always effective. Mr. Arthur Aldridge, who sang the part of Ralph Rackstraw, has a tenor of fine quality, clear, full and musical. He sings with much expression. Miss Idelle Patterson, who had the part of Josephine, has a sweet voice of good range, and while not powerful, it is effective, and she sings charmingly. Miss Jayne Herbert, who was Buttercup, has a well rounded voice, which perhaps ought to be classed as a messo. Mr. Hopper is always interesting. His comedy is never forced, and fits into any production in which he introduces it. The "sisters, cousins and aunts" are an attractive lot of girls, and in "Iolanthe," tonight, ought to make very effective pictures. The work of the whole company goes with great smoothness and precision, and one need have no hesitation whatever in commending its performance to all who wish to spend an enjoyable evening.

The audience was very large and showed much appreciation of the whole entertainment. Encores were frequent and the curtain calls many. Tonight "Iolanthe" will be given. In some respects it is the prettiest of all the Gilbert and Sullivan productions. It will undoubtedly be greeted by a large audience. In these strenuous times, bright music, well rendered, is restful to the mind, and those who hear it are all the better for their experience.

WILL USE B. C. LEAD IN CANADIAN BULLETS

Hon. W. J. Bowser, Acting Premier, Receives Satisfactory Reply to Representations Made to Militia Dep't.

The Hon. W. J. Bowser, Acting Premier, yesterday received a telegram from the Hon. J. D. Hazen, Acting Minister of Militia, to the effect that none but Canadian lead would hereafter be used in the manufacture of bullets for use by Canadian troops. This decision, which arises out of representations to the Federal authorities from Mr. R. F. Green, M. P., and Mr. Bowser, is expected to exercise a most salutary influence in respect to the silver-lead mines in Southern British Columbia.

Some few days ago Mr. Bowser received from the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company, at Trail, a telegram, which read: "In respect to the matter of purchasing American lead for the manufacture of bullets, we have had conferences with Mr. R. F. Green. Would it be possible to specify that such bullets be made of Canadian lead?"

Mr. Bowser at once forwarded this message to Mr. Hazen, adding: "To have this matter settled satisfactorily is apparently largely a matter of customs regulations." Yesterday's reply from the Acting Minister of Militia read: "I am very glad to inform you that the representations in regard to lead made by yourself and Mr. Green have resulted in a decision favorable to your case. Government has been giving the matter careful consideration, and the shell committee has instructed its inspectors to see that only Canadian lead is put into shells. Trust this order may prove benefit to British Columbia mining industry."

Mr. Green, who represents Kootenay, one of the most important mining constituencies in the Province, to The Colonist, explained some of the successful steps which had been taken to improve the situation in respect to the silver-lead mines since the outbreak of the war.

Situation Is Believed

"The stability of all metal values was shattered as a consequence of the outbreak of hostilities," said Mr. Green, "and there was every prospect that the silver-lead producers would be very hard hit in consequence. It was my privilege, as Member for Kootenay, to be able to make a number of representations to the Ottawa Government on the matter, and some little time ago an arrangement was made with the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company, at Trail, whereby silver-lead ores would be taken as usual from producers, the negotiations being financed by the bank, in respect to silver values, the banks being guaranteed against loss by the Government. This has, to some extent, relieved what threatened to prove a very serious situation for the producers.

"In regard to the lead used in the manufacture of bullets, I laid the matter before the Militia Department at Ottawa, on it being represented to me that American producers were being given a rebate, and Canadian producers thus being discriminated against. On investigation I found that this was not the case. There was no rebate arrangement in respect to the lead used in Canada, only in respect to the very small amount which, on being manufactured in Canada, was exported.

"Mr. Hazen's decision in the matter, as communicated to Mr. Bowser today, is very satisfactory, and will tend to steady mining conditions in the Kootenays. I hope it will be but the forerunner of a business development in respect to the producers of the silver-lead mines of British Columbia that will ultimately bring to the mine owners of this Province the reward they so richly deserve, and place the industry on a firmer basis."

SALE OF WORK IN AID OF FOUL BAY CHURCH

Bishop of Columbia Opens Very Successful Entertainment in Aid of New Building Fund.

A most successful sale of work was held in Christ Church Cathedral schoolroom yesterday afternoon as a result of the joint efforts of the Women's Guild and the Guild of St. Agnes, to raise funds for the proposed church at Foul Bay. The room presented a very festive appearance, with its festoons of ivy and Autumn flowers and pendant banners, and a company of energetic workers were kept busy till a late hour last night attending to the many visitors who came to show their interest and support.

The prettily decorated stalls each held their attractive load, which was almost depleted by the end of the evening. The Women's Guild fancy work stall was in charge of Mesdames Fowler and Harrison, and the needlework stall is charge of Mesdames Atkinson, Davy and Mitchell, while Mesdames Drury, Bevan, Binns and Williamson presided over the home-cookery stall. The Guild of St. Agnes also had a charming stall of fancy and plain needlework, under the direction of the Misses Brown, a cake competition at the same stall being in charge of Miss Cope. The Misses Exham and Fatt presided over a tastefully decorated stall of home-made candy, and a bower of gaily-hued blossoms and ferns was in charge of Miss Ellie and Master Arthur Exham, who also did a brisk trade in packets of seeds. A novel bag competition occupied an imposing stall under the direction of Miss Clowes (president of St. Agnes' Guild) and Miss Gregory Allen. The tea-room, prettily arranged with a floral screen to insure peaceful seclusion, was under the management of Mrs. Clowes, president of the Women's Guild, and a committee consisting of Mesdames Exham, Taylor and Plummer, and the Misses Gregory Allen and Hudson. Mrs. Cheetham, secretary of the Women's Guild, was indefatigable in attention to details of management, and the energetic efforts of both guilds were rewarded by the unqualified success of their project.

The sale was formally opened at 3 o'clock by the Lord Bishop of Columbia, who assured the workers that he had the scheme for which they labored very much at heart. Everyone knew how hard it was to work up a new church, and at such a time as this, with so many conflicting interests, the greatest credit was due to the patient and self-sacrificing efforts of the two guilds. He had the greatest pleasure in declaring the sale open, and wished its promoters the success they undoubtedly deserved. The Very Rev. Dean Doull also paid an eloquent tribute to the Women's Guild and the Guild of St. Agnes for their energy and perseverance.

Among those present at the sale were Mrs. J. C. Roper, Mrs. A. J. Doull, Miss Macklen, Miss Turner, the Rev. G. H. Andrews and the Rev. W. H. Dawe.

As the enterprise was continued until a late hour last night, the proceeds of the various stalls will be published later.

ADDRESS ON THE WAR

Mr. C. H. Lugrin Gave Interesting Talk on the Psychological Aspects of the Conflict

In response to an invitation from the Metropolitan Church Brotherhood, Mr. C. H. Lugrin on Sunday afternoon dealt with some of "The Psychological Aspects of the War," which was the subject upon which he was asked to speak. The address began with a reference to some of the previous great wars that have taken place within historic times, the first mentioned being that which culminated in the overthrow of the Jewish kingdom and the captivity of the people in Babylon, the effect of which, the speaker pointed out, was to change the conception of the expected Messianic Kingdom from a temporal one to one of a spiritual nature. The wars between Rome and Carthage, originally a minor struggle for trade, developed in the minds of the victors a desire for world-wide supremacy. The Crusades brought about the renaissance, which was not confined to architecture alone, but extended to every line of human thought and activity and inaugurated a period of investigation, culminating in the discovery of the New World. The Napoleonic wars were followed by the most amazing material progress the human race has ever experienced, a progress so great that the Battle of Waterloo may be said to have marked an era in the advancement of mankind. What we mean when we speak of modern civilization really dates from 1815.

The speaker then reviewed the effect which the war has already had upon the attitude towards other peoples. A few months ago, if we thought of the Belgians at all, it was only casually, and possibly we were not quite sure that they were on the same plane as ourselves; now we know them to be a heroic race and as worthy of the highest esteem. We were learning that France possessed unexpected elements of greatness. We were beginning to understand Russia. We saw at our doors the warships of Japan defending us against the designs of a ruler who, a few years ago, raised a cry against "the yellow peril." And as we were seeing these people in a new light, so were they seeing us. We ourselves had shown to the world that we preferred the nation's honor to everything else. Political, religious, social distinctions were all forgotten, because our homes, as a people, were at stake. In view of these facts, surely things could never be the same again. A new direction had been given to human thought, and the result would endure for many generations.

In concluding, Mr. Lugrin spoke of the lesson which the world was learning as to the true value of material culture and the worthlessness of certain schools of present-day philosophy. It was learning that the things which count are not material things; that there were higher ideals than those which found expression in scientific discovery and the triumphs of invention. The great hope of the hour was that, after this dreadful trial had passed, the world might enter upon a period of spiritual advancement and witness a revolution, out of which would come a truer appreciation of Christianity and its place in the affairs of mankind than has been witnessed hitherto.

The address, which occupied three-quarters of an hour, was listened to with earnest attention.

DEATH OF MR. LIPSKY

Well Known Hotel Man Dies Suddenly at St. Joseph's Hospital of Heart Failure

The death took place yesterday morning, at St. Joseph's Hospital, of Mr. Alexander Lipsky, proprietor of the Willows Hotel, and for years a widely-known and respected resident of Victoria. Death was the result of an attack of heart failure, suffered on Tuesday. While it was recognized that Mr. Lipsky was in a serious condition, his death was unexpected and came as a great shock to his friends.

In the prime of life, the late Mr. Lipsky had been for years prominent in the hotel business of the city, and from small beginnings shortly after his arrival here over twenty years ago, he had, by strict attention to his business, prospered and acquired a comfortable competence. He was born at Two Rivers, Wisconsin, forty-four years ago, and came to Victoria when a young man. For years he was proprietor of the Empire Hotel, Johnson Street, and four years ago acquired the Willows property and had managed it ever since. He was of a most generous disposition, and among his many friends were scores who had been befriended by him. Never a tale of hard-luck told to him but found him ready to help, and his unostentatious liberality was extended to many who knew not their benefactor. In earlier years local athletic organizations could always count upon him for support, financial and otherwise, and of late years he continued to take a keen interest in sports. He was a prominent member of the Victoria Aerie of Eagles, the members of which deeply deplore his death. The order will be largely represented at the funeral.

The late Mr. Lipsky leaves surviving him a widow and one son, Percival, and also three sisters, Mrs. S. A. Bantley, Mrs. C. McKinnon and Mrs. C. Tappin. A brother, Mr. Julius Lipsky, resides at Kewaunee, Wisconsin.

The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence at the Willows to the Church of Our Lady of Lourdes, where Requiem High Mass will be celebrated; thence the cortege will proceed to Ross Bay Cemetery, where interment will be made.

OBITUARY NOTICES

The death occurred on Tuesday evening of William Ogilvie Menelaws, 638 Speed Avenue, aged one year and two months, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Menelaws. The funeral takes place today at 2:30, the Rev. J. G. Inkster officiating.

Births, Marriages, Deaths

BORN

TALBOT—On the 26th inst., at Fodder Bay, to Mr. and Mrs. Talbot, a daughter.

MARTIN—On the 28th inst., at Highmead, Esquimalt, to the Hon. Mrs. Hamilton Martin, wife of Captain W. M. Martin, Royal Artillery (attached Canadian Militia), a daughter.

MARRIED

DAVIES-RAPER—On 19th October., at Christ Church, Vancouver, by Rev. C. C. Owen, Graham Llewellyn Davies, youngest son of John Howard Davies, Harrow, England, to Hilda, only daughter of Thomas Raper, Vea Anda, B. C., late of Leeds, England.

F. O. E.

FUNERAL NOTICE

Members of Victoria Aerie No. 12, of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, are entitled to assemble at 1016 Cadboro Bay Road (Willows Hotel), at 2 p. m. sharp, on Friday, October 30, to attend the funeral of our late Brother, Alexander Lipsky. Further services will take place at the home of the Lourdes Church, Oakland.

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A Birthday. (Woodman.) In English, with orchestra—**I Hear a Thrush at Eve.** (Cadman.) In English, with orchestra. Carolina White, soprano.
Flashing Glory March. (Martin.)—**Life Guard March.** (Martin.) Prince's Band.
Die Walkure. (Wagner.) Magic Fire Scene. — **Symphonie Pathetique.** (Tschaikowsky.) First Movement. Felix Weingartner and Columbia Symphony Orchestra.
Wedding of the Winds Waltz. (Hall.)—**La Sirena.** Accordion solos by Pietro Deiro.
Kamawee. (Move Your Feet.) (Hula.) — **Ahi Ahi Poakolu. (Wednesday Evening.)** Toots Paka Hawaiian Company.
Venetian Love Song, from "A Day in Venice." (Nevin.)—**March of the Little Lead Soldiers.** (Pierne.) Prince's Orchestra.
The Blacksmith and His Anvil. (Von der Mehden.) Prince's Orchestra.—**Woolly Winks March.** (Martin.) Prince's Band.
San Antonio Swing. (Buford.)—**El Pagar.** Prince's Band.
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Dora—You can make your eyes sparkling and clear by this simple home treatment: Dissolve an ounce of crystos (get it at drug store) in a pint of water. One or two drops in each eye every day will be all that is necessary to make them feel strong and look bright. If the lids are red or inflamed, try soaking dabs of absorbent cotton in the tonc and laying them on each eye.

Juanita—The sagginess of skin which you write about is disfiguring, and you will soon be wrinkled past help if you neglect it. But try this simple treatment, and I'm sure it will work wonders: Mix an ounce of almozoin (from the drug store) in one-half pint cold water and add two teaspoonfuls glycerine. This cream jelly will cause the skin to contract slowly until the healthy firmness is restored. Keeps your complexion clear and free from blemishes. Also removes blackheads.

Eugenie—Your yellowness doubtless means that your liver requires a regulator, and I would suggest a plain kardene tonic. This will cleanse the blood and give tone and strength to the liver and kidneys, and when these organs are in a healthy condition you will be free from the bilious attacks, the obstinate headaches, and the pains in small of back and groins. To prepare this tonic, I get one ounce kardene from druggist and put it into one-half pint alcohol (never use whiskey), then add one-half cupful of sugar and hot water to make a quart. The dose is a tablespoonful before meals. The kardene tonic is excellent to clear the skin of pimples, blotches and sallowness, and its timely use frequently saves doctors' bills.

Chloe—I have found the most beneficial shampoo for the scalp and hair can be made at home by dissolving a teaspoonful canthrox in a cup of hot water. This is unusually soothing and cleansing to the itchy, dandruff-laden scalp, and quickly corrects over-oiliness and other scalp-up sets. My shampooing with canthrox has restored an even color, rich gloss and soft fluff to my hair, which was becoming dull and brittle. It seems to have encouraged a vigorous and luxuriant growth.

P.S.—The styles point to a continuation of the slim figure effects, and as you show signs of an added waist line, you should take steps to reduce your weight. Make this preparation at home, and before each meal take a tablespoonful: Get four ounces parnotis from your druggist and dissolve in one and one-half pint of hot water. Strain and cool the mixture before using. This is inexpensive and will be welcome to the woman who does not want strenuous diet or exercise.

Lorraine—Your faded hair is not necessarily dying, though it is in danger. Here is a home-made tonic, costing little, which I know is of great value to scalp and hair: Into one-half pint of alcohol put one ounce quinzoin (which I get from the druggist's); then add one-half pint water. This gives you a full pint. I have found it very soothing and it banishes the dry, harsh, unhealthy condition of the scalp, invigorating the hair roots so a beautiful growth is certain to result.

In Women's Realm

BY MARIA LAWSON

BARONESS BEAUMONT

Self-Dependence

Weary of myself, and sick of asking
What I am, and what I ought to be,
At this vessel's prow I stand, which
bears me
Forwards, forwards, o'er the starlit sea.

And a look of passionate desire
O'er the sea and to the stars I send;
Ye who from my childhood up have
calmed me,
Calm me, ah, compose me to the end!

"Ah, once more," I cried, "ye stars, ye
waters,
On my heart your mighty charm renew;
Still, still let me, as I gaze upon you,
Feel my soul becoming vast like you!"

From the intense, clear, star-sown vault
of Heaven,
Over the lit sea's unquiet way,
In the rustling night-air comes the
answer—
"Wouldst thou be as these are? Live
as they.

"Unaffrighted by the silence round them,
Undistracted by the sights they see,
These demand not that the things without them
Yield them love, amusement, sympathy.

"And with joy the stars perform their
shining,
And the sea its long moon-silvered roll;
For self-poised they live, nor pine with
noting
All the fever of some differing soul.

"Bounded by themselves, and unregardful
In what state God's other works may be,
In their own tasks all their powers
pouring,
These attain the mighty life you see."

O air-born voice! long since, severely
clear,
A cry like thine in mine own heart I
hear—
"Resolve to be thyself, and know that he
Who finds himself loses his misery."
—Matthew Arnold.

The Baroness Beaumont

Among recent brides is the Baroness Beaumont, the heir to a very old title. The barony of Beaumont dates from March 4, 1309, when it was conferred by Edward II. The present holder of the title is Mona Josephine Tempest Stapleton, the daughter of the tenth baron.

A short time ago this noble lady married the Hon. Bernard Fitzalan Howard, a lieutenant of Lovat's Scouts in the Imperial Yeomanry. The young soldier was educated at Trinity College, Cambridge, and is the heir of Baron Howard, of Glossop. The bride is only twenty years old. Like many other noblewomen, the Baroness Beaumont is likely to spend many anxious days and sleepless nights before the war is over.

Household Arts

In the nineteenth century women claimed, and partially gained, the right to an education equal with that of men. Girls study with their brothers in High School and college. On this continent there are many co-educational universities, while in Great Britain, as a rule, women study by themselves. Every year proves that some women are fitted to enter what have been called the learned professions, though in many places law and medicine are still closed to them.

Having won for women the right to fit themselves for any occupation in which men are engaged, educators of the twentieth century have set themselves to fit women in school for that vocation to which the great majority of women are destined. The making of a home is a business which all but a few women must engage in. But the girl who spends her girlhood in the schoolroom and several years of her womanhood in wage earning, has little time to learn how to manage a home.

This led to the teaching of young girls to cook, to clean and to sew in the public schools. Because something of the principles that lay at the bottom of these industries were taught, the name of Domestic Science or Household Economics was given to this part of a girl's education. In our own city girls have for many years taken such courses. In the case of cooking, the course closed when the girls reached the entrance class, and in that of sewing, some time before.

It has been considered impossible to develop and extend these courses when girls reached the High School. Those girls who wanted to take up manual occupations left school as soon as they received their entrance certificates. In Winnipeg it has been found possible to keep such girls in school, teach them to become expert tradeswomen, and, at the same time, go on with their High School studies. In her recent visit to Winnipeg, Mrs. Jenkins visited Kelvin High School, one of the technical schools of that city. She spent some time in the Department of Household Arts, presided over by Miss Halliday, and was greatly pleased and interested with what she saw.

While the boys studied carpentry, wood work and machinery, the girls were busy learning laundry work, dressmaking and millinery. The sewing room was fitted up with sewing machines, some run by hand and some by electricity. The girls learned to cut and fit the dresses they wore, to choose the material and to select the colors. They made their own graduation dresses, limiting the cost to $5, but not their own taste and ingenuity. Pictures of the class indicate that these sweet girl graduates of the Kelvin High School need not fear comparison with their more expensively gowned fellow students of other high schools.

The pupils are brought to see the finest hotels and other buildings in the city, and encouraged to adapt the designs to ordinary living rooms. The trimming of their gowns is also designed by the girls themselves. In the millinery class the shapes are made and covered, and the color and ornamentation selected by the girls. As will readily be understood, these girls after graduation will be fitted to take good positions in industrial establishments. Those of them who marry will have received invaluable training in economical buying and the selection of material. Their ability to make their own and their children's clothing will be of great use to them, and their sense of proportion and of harmony in color will have a refining influence on all with whom they come in contact. Not the least valuable feature of such training is the fact that many girls who would otherwise be forced to leave school to learn a trade, can, under this system, continue their education in literary subjects.

World's Championship Typewriting Contests—Mr. H. P. Johnson, manager of the Underwood office, received a wire yesterday saying that all contests, amateur and professional, in the World's Championship Series, at New York, this week, had been again won by Underwood operators. Every authentic record for speed for years past in Canada, Europe, Great Britain, and the United States has been made on the Underwood Typewriter, [illegible]

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Violet Pooley is visiting in Vancouver, the guest of Miss Dorothy Sweeney.

Mrs. J. M. Whitney and daughter who have been spending the Summer in Eastern Canada have returned.

Mr. George Sangster, secretary of the B. C. Agricultural Association, has returned after a visit of several weeks to his ranch in the vicinity of Calgary.

Mrs. John Pitcairn Elford, of 1228 Fort Street, left on yesterday's boat for Vancouver, on an extended visit to Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Morris, of Point Grey.

Mrs. Geo. Ham left by the Niagara for an extended visit to Sydney, Australia, where she will meet a brother and sister and three sons.

Mrs. Hickman Tye and Mrs. Beauchamp Tye will be at home on Friday afternoon next, and the last Friday in the month during the Winter.

Dr. S. F. Tolmie, Western representative of the Dominion Livestock Commissioner, has left for Winnipeg and will be away for some days.

Mrs. J. W. Manson and Mrs. Bell Irving, jr., of Vancouver, have come over to Victoria for a month or so with their children, and have rented a furnished house.

Mr. Fred Dangerfield, who underwent a very serious operation in St. Joseph's Hospital, is now at his home, Vancouver Street. His many friends in Victoria and throughout the Province will be pleased to hear there is every prospect of a complete recovery.

A quiet wedding was performed by the Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick in St. Johns Church on Tuesday, October 27, between Mr. Robert F. Brindle and Miss Grace Ferguson. Mr. Brindle is an esteemed member of the Fire Department of this city. On returning from their honeymoon the young couple will reside in Victoria.

Reeve Saunders, of the Esquimalt Municipality, is making a short stay at his Saanich Inlet residence. He is entertaining a party for the excellent fishing of the waters of that estuary.

A name in the latest casualty lists which is of interest to Victorians is that of Captain I. V. Paton, D. S. O., of the Royal Scots Fusiliers, who is reported as having been wounded. Captain Paton had lived in this city for several years, and was instructor at the Victoria Skating Rink last Winter. He had rendered distinguished service to his country during the South African war.

Mrs. W. K. Houston and Mrs. Hillis R. Houston, of 1198 St. Patrick Street, Oak Bay, will receive Friday, October 30, and on every last Friday thereafter.

Mrs. J. G. Inkster is staying in Vancouver as the guest of Mrs. James F. O'Hara, of Craiglochart, Georgia Street, who gave a delightful luncheon party on Saturday in her honor. Covers were laid for twelve, and the tables were artistically decorated with violets and chrysanthemums.

On Tuesday afternoon, at "Breadalbane," the residence of the officiating minister, the Rev. Dr. Campbell, in the presence of a number of intimate friends, celebrated the marriage of David Edward Taylor and Alice Lees Black. Mr. James Martin was groomsman, and Amie C. Dewhirst made a charming bridesmaid. The bride looked very handsome in a smart traveling suit of light blue cloth. She arrived from Pittenweem, Scotland, last Saturday. The bride is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Black, of that old historic town in the land of "the hill and the heather."

Reports from Vancouver as to the French Cabaret performance given last week under the direction of Mrs. John Hope and Mrs. A. D. McRae for the Belgian Relief Fund, prove especially gratifying to Victorians for the unstinted praise bestowed upon the amateur artists of this city, who lent their aid to the event. In a programme of high artistic merit, and among a number of Vancouver artistes the Victorian visitors held their own, Miss Phyllis Davis being unanimously accorded the chief honors of the evening, her inimitable rendering of "Whooping Daisy" having to be repeated no less than five times, while her other song, "I'll Make a Man of Everyone of You," was no less successful. Miss Kathleen Dunsmuir, assisted by Miss Bodwell, Miss Brownie Bodwell, Miss Little and Miss Street, gave an immensely popular song and dance, "The Lads in Navy Blue," while her second selection, "Mary, You're a Little Bit Old-fashioned," was most enthusiastically encored. Another very successful item was Mrs. Robin Dunsmuir's singing of the "Waltz Song" from the "Count of Luxemburg," supported by the Misses Bodwell, Little and Street, and the Victoria ladies were accorded a very hearty vote of thanks by the promoters at the close of the performance, for their invaluable assistance. A number of smart dinner parties were given in honor of the event, and the evening closed with a most enjoyable dance.

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COMING EVENTS

Municipal Chapter—A general meeting of the Municipal Chapter, I. O. D. E., will be held on Friday, October 30, at 10:30 a.m., in the Temple Building.

Conservative Association—Ward 3 whist drive will be held at Conservative Rooms tonight at 7:30. To commence punctually at 8. All Conservatives are welcome.

Garden City Institute—The official announcement has been made of the organizing meeting of the Garden City Women's Institute to take place at 3 p. m., on Friday, November 27 in Cane's Hall, Garden City.

Epworth League Concert—The Centennial Epworth League is giving a grand concert in the Sunday school room on Tuesday evening, November 3, at 8 o'clock. Well-known songs will be sung. Tickets can be obtained from members of the league.

Sale of Work—A sale of work will be held by St. John's Senior Guild on December 5. A full attendance of members of the guild is requested to be present next Monday afternoon to arrange matters in connection with the sale.

Dances in Alexandra Ballroom—Mrs. Simpson announces that she has made arrangements to give a series of dances this season in the Alexandra ballroom, for which invitations will be issued. The first dance will take place on Monday, November 9. A good orchestra has been engaged.

Apron Sale—The Ladies' Aid of the Belmont Avenue Methodist Church will hold an apron sale in the school room on Wednesday, November 4, commencing at 3 o'clock. Home-made cooking and candy will also be sold. Afternoon tea will be served. In the evening at 8 o'clock a good programme will be rendered.

Concerts to Commence—The announcement that the Fusiliers' Sunday evening band concerts are to commence next Sunday will be welcome news to the many followers of this fine band. This season the management of the band has secured the fine Pantages' Theatre, and undoubtedly the acoustics of this house will be a great advantage to the band as well as the audience. A number of local artists have signified their willingness to assist, and the fact that Bandmaster Rowland has charge of the programmes should be sufficient to guarantee the success of the concerts. As formerly the performances will commence at 8:15 and conclude by 10 o'clock.

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Sale of Fall Hats Continues Throughout the Week

The showing includes all the latest styles in velvet plush and felt at the following prices:

Regular $ 5.00.	Sale, **$3.50.**
Regular $ 7.50.	Sale, **$4.95.**
Regular $10.00.	Sale, **$6.95.**
Regular $12.50.	Sale, **$7.95.**

Satin Petticoats at $2.95

New Petticoats are made in an extra quality fine soft satin. They are cut on the latest fashion lines and finished with a pleated frill in the following colors: Cerise, Paddy, green, saxe, brown, absinthe, navy or black. Specially priced at **$2.95.** Regular values, $3.75.

Special Sale of Down Comforters

These Comforters are manufactured by McLintocks, and, therefore, can be thoroughly relied upon. They are covered with best quality sateen and filled with down. The prices are exceptional.

24 x 36, Crib;	regular $ 2.50.	Sale, **$1.85**
36 x 48, Crib;	regular $ 4.50.	Sale, **$3.80**
72 x 66	regular $ 7.50.	Sale, **$5.95**
72 x 66	regular $ 9.75.	Sale, **$7.50**
72 x 66	regular $11.00.	Sale, **$8.50**
72 x 66	regular $12.00.	Sale, **$9.50**

New Bathrobe Blankets at $4.50

The qualities represented are particularly attractive and the values are worthy of your special consideration.

Indian Bathrobe Blankets, size 72 x 90. Price **$4.50,** including frogs, girdle and neck cord to match. Shown in a large assortment of dark, serviceable colors.

Plaid Blankets, full double bed size. These are shown in pink and white, blue and white, green and white, helio and white, old rose and white, check and plaid designs. Prices, **$4.50** and **$6.50.**

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THREE MATCHES PLAYED IN REGIMENTAL SOCCER

Two matches were played yesterday in the opening round of the Regimental Football Association's series. At the Willows grounds the B. C. Horse and the 88th Regiment played very evenly to a draw, two goals apiece. The contest was keen and the play generally of a splendid class. At the [illegible] grounds the 5th Regiment defeated the Navy by 4 goals to 1. The [illegible] and 88th also drew, scoring [illegible], on the Work Point grounds.

Household Economy

How to Have the Best Cough Remedy and Save $2 by Making It at Home

Cough medicines, as a rule, contain a large quantity of plain syrup. Two cups of granulated sugar with one cup of warm water, stirred for 2 minutes gives you as good syrup as money can buy.

Then get from your druggist 2½ ounces Pinex (50 cents worth), pour into a 16-ounce bottle and fill the bottle with sugar syrup. This gives you, at a cost of only 54 cents, 16 ounces of really better cough syrup than you could buy ready made for $2.50—a clear saving of nearly $2. Full directions with Pinex. It keeps perfectly and tastes good.

It takes hold of the usual cough or chest cold at once and conquers it in 24 hours. Splendid for whooping cough, bronchitis and winter coughs.

It's truly astonishing how quickly it loosens the dry, hoarse or tight cough and heals and soothes the inflamed membranes in the case of a painful cough. It also stops the formation of phlegm in the throat and bronchial tubes, thus ending the persistent loose cough.

Pinex is a highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, combined with guaiacol, and has been used for generations to heal inflamed membranes of the throat and chest.

To avoid disappointment, ask your druggist for "2½ ounces of Pinex," and don't accept anything else. A guarantee of absolute satisfaction, or money promptly refunded, goes with this preparation. The Pinex Co., Toronto, Ont.

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Sale of Silks

Moire Silk, suitable for afternoon and evening wear, in a wide range of exquisite colors; 40 ins. wide. Regular $2.75. Sale **$2.45**

Silk Poplins are very popular this season in evening gowns. Colors are orange, Labrador, navy, taupe, purple, mauve, old rose and adobe brown; 40 ins. wide. Regular $3.00 yard. Sale price, per yard **$2.45**

Messaline Silks in popular shades for Fall; 36 ins. wide. Regular price $1.25 yard. Sale price, per yard .... **95¢**

Fancy Silks in a variety of brocades, stripes and shot affects; 36 and 40 ins. wide. Regular values $1.75 yard. Sale price, yard **$1.25**

Moirette, suitable for the making of underskirts. All the popular colors are represented. Sale price, per yard .... **45¢**

Anniversary Sale of Beautiful Suits

For convenience we have grouped these up into three prices. Each Suit has been substantially reduced in price and represents an extraordinary value.

Don't purchase your Fall Suit until you have seen these.

LOT 1 — Anniversary Sale Price **$13.90**

LOT 2 — Anniversary Sale Price **$15.90**

LOT 3 — Anniversary Sale Price **$18.90**

Sale of Dress Goods

Plain and Fancy Weaves, suitable for women's and children's dresses. All the Fall colors are represented. Regular prices, $1.25 to $1.50 yd. Sale price, **95¢**

Extra Heavy Colored Serge, in saxe, brown, dark green, navy, reseda and purple, 50 in. wide. Regular price $1.00 yard. Sale price .... **85¢**

Plain and Fancy All-Wool Serges, in navy, bottle green and brown. Sale price, yard, **53¢**

Black and White Check Materials, 40 and 22 in. wide. Sale prices, yard, 45c, 65c and **75¢**

Broadcloths in all the wanted shades for Fall wear; 48 in. wide. Regular price $1.50 yard. Sale price **$1.25**

Opera Cloakings in many new pastel shades for evening wear; 50 in. wide. Regular $2.00 yard. Sale price, yard **$1.50**

Winter Bedding at Anniversary Sale Prices

Sheeting, plain and twill, 2 yards wide. Regular 35c yard. Sale price, yard .... **32½¢**

Plain and Twill Sheeting, 2½ yards wide. Regular 40c yard. Sale price, yard .... **35¢**

Hochelaga Plain Sheeting, 2 yards wide. Regular 42½c yard. Sale price, yard .... **40¢**

Hochalaga Plain Sheeting, 2¼ yds. wide. Regular 45c yard. Sale price, yard .... **40¢**

Hochelaga Plain Sheeting, 2½ yds. wide. Regular 50c yard. Sale price, yard .... **45¢**

Sheets, plain hemmed in single, three-quarter, double and large sizes. Regular $1.75 pair. Sale price, pair **$1.60**

Regular $2.00 pair. Sale price, per pair **$1.75**

Regular $2.25. Sale price, per pair **$2.00**

Regular $2.75. Sale price, per pair **$2.45**

Regular $3.00. Sale price, per pair **$2.65**

Regular $3.25. Sale price, per pair **$2.95**

Twill Sheets in three-quarter and double bed size. Regular $3.00 per pair. Sale price **$2.65**

Regular $3.25 pair. Sale price, pair **$2.95**

Pillow Cotton, medium weight, 40 and 42 ins. wide. Regular 22½c yard. Sale price, yard .... **20¢**

Pillow Cases, hemstitched, 40, 42, 44, 46 ins. long. Regular 35c pair. Sale price, dozen **$1.95**

Plain Hemmed Pillow Cases, 40, 42, 44 and 46 ins. Regular 50c pair. Sale price, dozen **$2.65**

Marcella Bedspreads. Regular price $2.25. Sale price, **$1.95**; Regular $2.75. Sale price, each, **$2.40**

A Bargain Sale of Ribbons

5c, 10c, 15c Yd.

On Sale in the Basement

Sale of Fine Cashmere Hose

Almost any woman can find room for another pair or two of fine Cashmere Hose, especially when able to buy at such an advantage as this. They are knit from the finest cashmere, in either plain or silk embroidered. All sizes, in black only. Regular price, 65c pair. Sale price, pair .... **45¢**

Winter Coats of Medium and Heavy Weight

All new and pretty styles. Practically the full range of Fall Coatings are represented in many plain and two-toned effects. The selection is large and the prices are extraordinarily low.

LOT 1 — Anniversary Sale Price **$6.90**

LOT 2 — Anniversary Sale Price **$13.90**

LOT 3 — Anniversary Sale Price **$15.90**

Ladies' Tailored Waists

40c

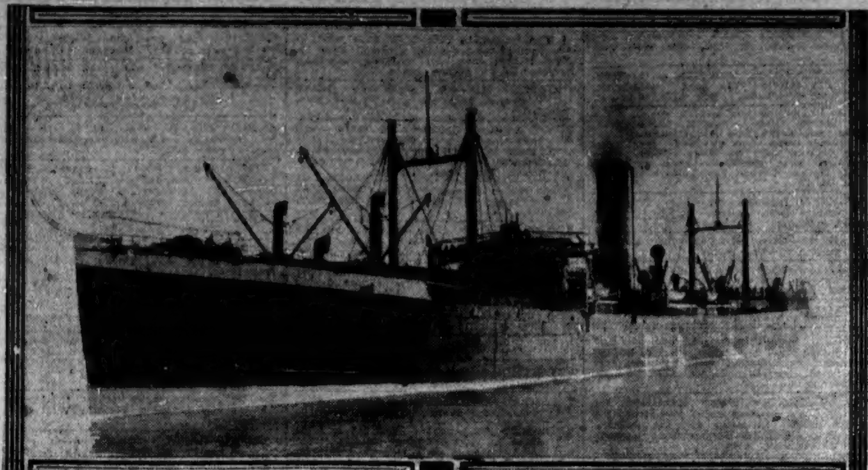
On Sale in the Basement

Special Sale of Ladies' Footwear

Ladies' Button and Lace Boots, made by the famous Dorothy Dodd Shoe Company. Sale price, pair **$3.35**

Ladies' Satin Pumps, in delicate evening colors. Reg. $4.00 to $5.00. Sale price, pair **$3.35**

Dorothy Dodd Boots, in small sizes only. Reg. $6.50 pair. Sale price, pair **$3.95**



SS. TALTHYBIUS

Blue Funnel liner which sailed yesterday for the Orient with record list of Chinese. All told 1,024 took passage.

TRAFFIC THROUGH THE PANAMA CANAL

Amount of Business Handled Has Exceeded Anticipations Notwithstanding the War in Europe.

In view of the general check to business all over the world in consequence of the European war, and the interference by war vessels with the shipping of belligerent nations, the traffic through the Panama Canal, in the first month and a half of its commercial service, has exceeded anticipations.

From August 15 to October 1, eighty-one vessels passed through the canal, and as traffic has been unusually heavy during the past three weeks, despite the fact that the waterway was temporarily closed owing to a slide at Culebra, the total number of transits to date is approximately 130 vessels.

During the month of August twelve vessels passed through from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and twelve from the Pacific to the Atlantic, a total of twenty-four. Twenty of these were American vessels, two were British, one was Danish, and one a Peruvian naval vessel. The first British vessel was the steamer Daldorch, which passed from the Pacific to the Atlantic on August 22. The Danish vessel, the Transvaal, went from the Pacific to the Atlantic on August 31. The Peruvian gunboat Teniente Rodriquez passed from the Atlantic to the Pacific on August 18.

Traffic in September

In September the British vessels took first place, numbering twenty-seven ships. The first Dutch vessel to use the canal, the Kessler, passed from the Atlantic to the Pacific on September 24, and on the following day occurred the firt use of the canal by a Norwegian vessel, when Capella I, Hildalgo, Juarez and Morelos, comprising a whaling fleet, went from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

To October 1, the total net canal tonnage carried from the Atlantic to the Pacific through the canal, including that handled in fifty-eight barges, prior to the formal opening of the canal, was 144,343 tons; the aggregate net canal tonnage transported from the Pacific to the Atlantic, including fifty-seven barges, was 153,312 tons, making a grand total of 297,655 tons. The total tolls collected, including pilotage on vessels stopping at the terminal ports, amounted to $369,706.29.

Vessel Movements

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Sailed: Str. Camino, for San Francisco.

VALPARAISO, Oct. 1.—Sailed: Str. Strathavon, for Eureka.

VLADIVOSTOK, Oct. 23.—Sailed: Str. Novgorod, for Seattle, via Vancouver, B. C.

BALBOA, Oct. 27.—Arrived: Str. Santa Rosalia, from Seattle for Bristol. Sailed: Str. Stanley Dollar, from San Francisco for New York.

PROTEST IS LODGED

Charterers of British Steamer Lowther Range Appeal to Washington Against Detention of Vessel

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 27.—The following is a copy of a message sent by J. J. Moore & Co. to William J. Bryan, Secretary of State, Washington, D.C.: "British steamer Lowther Range, under time charter to us and with cargo of our coal on board, shipped from Newcastle, Australia, consigned to Southern Pacific Railway Company, of Mexico, a neutral, for its own use, was seized off Guaymas, October 11, by British cruiser. Cruiser proceeded to bunker from our coal and then put prize crew on boad and took balance of cargo as prize to Esquimalt, British Columbia, causing us the loss of over $20,000 up to the time of the seizure alone. Prior to sailing from Newcastle, Australia, British customs authorities there demanded and received name of cargo consignee and destination. These facts are well known and have been confirmed by captain and British owners of ship. We strenuously protest against this unjustified seizure of our cargo and ask you to demand reparation from proper sources on our behalf."

NIAGARA GETS AWAY FOR SOUTH SEAS

Canadian-Australian Liner Sailed Last Night for Auckland and Sydney — Talthybius Also Departs.

The Canadian-Australian Royal Mail liner Niagara, Captain J. T. Rolls, got away last night on her outward voyage to Australia. The big steamship arrived off the Outer Docks about 5 p. m. from Vancouver, and to avoid difficulty in berthing her in darkness, she was ordered to an anchorage just outside. The C. P. R. tug Qualicum acted as tender, transporting the Victoria passengers aboard the vessel. The Niagara is bound for Auckland and Sydney and carried a full cargo in addition to a fair list of passengers.

Another transpacific liner to leave outward yesterday was the Blue Funnel steamship Talthybius, which cleared from the Outer Docks at 2 p. m. for Yokohama and London. Aside from her 14,000-ton cargo, the Talthybius carried the record list of Chinese steerage passengers for the season.

All told, she took out 1,024 Chinamen, and of this number nearly 900 boarded the vessel at Victoria. They were bound home to attend the Chinese New Year celebrations.

The Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Chicago Maru, will reach port today from the Far East.

CHRISTOBAL, Oct. 27.—Arrived: Str. Isabella, from New York for Los Angeles, and proceeded.

Chile in 1913 bought 600,000 tons of British coal.

"THE MASTER CRIMINAL"

Sensational English Drama at Crystal Theatre Tonight.

Commencing tonight, "The Master Criminal," one of the most famous English dramas will be presented at the Crystal Theatre, the management of which have contracted with the World Film Corporation, of New York, for their entire output of feature photoplays.

The opening bill is a well known English masterpiece depicting the hunt, the capture and escape of the master criminal in a succession of thrilling scenes.

Collin, a rare specimen of criminal with the faculties of a natural born leader, having won the confidence of the habitues of the underworld, is made their leader. Thrown into prison, he escapes with the aid of his accomplices times without number, and after reaching freedom, always manages to elude the police long enough to accomplish his nefarious schemes. How he makes dupes of the men and women he comes in contact with and how he manages to slip through the fingers of the police, is told in a startling and surprising series of episodes, but fortunately, he sees the error of his ways, and reforming, becomes chief of police. From being master criminal, he becomes master criminal hunter.

CHARTER BARK TO LOAD AT VICTORIA

Cameron Lumber Company Announces Fixture of Norwegian Windjammer Wulff for November Loading

Toward the end of November the Norwegian bark Wulff will come to Victoria to load a full cargo of lumber for South Africa.

The Wulff, Captain Thorkildsen, has been placed under charter by the Cameron Lumber Company, official announcement of the charter being made yesterday by officials of the Victoria lumber concern. The rate or port of destination is not announced.

The Norwegian is a vessel of 1,422 net tons register and is a handy lumber carrier, having plenty of room above the hatches for the stowage of a considerable deckload.

According to the latest maritime lists, the Wulff sailed from Newcastle, N. S. W., on June 1 last, presumably with a cargo of coal for Arica, where she arrived on August 19. Arica is a port in Chile, approximately 150 miles to the north of Iquique.

Three weks from now the Wulff will be beating off the entrance of the Straits awaiting a tug to tow her to the Royal Roads, where she will discharge ballast preparatory to going on berth.

The Wulff will be the first big vessel to navigate the Inner Harbor since the departure of the American ship Aryan, which loaded lumber at the Canadian-Puget Sound Mills for South Africa.

BIG TANK STEAMER IN

Cordelia Called Off Here on Passage From Port Hartford to Vancouver

The British tank steamer Cordelia, a vessel of 4,178 net tons register, from Port Hartford, California, picked up a pilot here yesterday morning and proceeded to Vancouver to discharge her cargo of oil fuel.

The Cordelia is under the command of Captain Sanderson.

PRINCESS ROYAL HERE

Damaged Vessel Will Be Hauled Out at Esquimalt Today for Examination

Last night the C. P. R. steamer Princess Royal, which struck on a reef in Sabine Channel and sustained damage forward, arrived here from Vancouver under convoy. Today she will be taken round to Esquimalt and hauled out at the Yarrows' slip for examination.

The C. P. R. announce that the Vancouver-Granby Bay service will be maintained by the Princess Maquinna.

HILL BOATS INSURED

Northern Pacific and Great Northern Covered at Rate of Three and a Half Per Cent

The two steamers Northern Pacific and Great Northern, now completing at Cramps, Philadelphia, for service between Flavel and San Francisco, have just been insured. They are turbine vessels of 9,000 tons and valued at $1,600,000.

The insurance is covered on the Pacific "lota" form, and claims are only payable in case of $5,000 each accident, with the exception of total loss. The rate for twelve months is 3½ per cent.

MASTER WAS MISSING

Captain Dobbinga Believed to Have Been Drowned Prior to Sinking of Maria by Karlsruhe

Evidently the Dutch steamer Maria had more than her share of trouble before she fell into the hands of the Karlsruhe.

Captain Dobbinga, her master, is believed to have fallen overboard and to have been drowned while the craft was off the west coast of South America.

At any rate he was reported missing when the Maria arrived at Coronel, where she stopped to replenish her bunkers. The first officer took over the command of the Maria.

SEEK RUSSIAN BOAT

Large Party of Russians Have Already Booked Passage Outward by the Novgorod

Already 125 Russians have booked passage from British Columbia to Vladivostok by the steamer Novgorod, the first vessel of the Russian Volunteer Fleet to arrive on this coast.

The first company of Russians who are leaving this coast by the Novgorod are destined for a town called Vladikauvkas, situated on the north shore of the Black Sea, and upon arrival at Vladivostok, will proceed to their destination by the trans-Siberian Railroad.

The vessel to follow the Novgorod here will leave Vladivostok a month later. She was named the St. Petersburg, but in all probability has by this time been renamed Petrograd.

HURLED INTO SPACE BY CARBIDE BLAST

Member of Estevan's Crew Sustained Injuries When Explosion Occurred at Goose Spit Beacon.

When engaged in recharging the gas beacon at Goose Spit, E. Roberts, a deckhand on the Dominion lighthouse tender Estevan, was hurled several yards into the air by an explosion of carbide and sustained injuries about the face. First news of the accident was brought to Victoria by the Estevan, which reached port yesterday forenoon after several weeks absence in recharging beacons in the Gulf of Georgia. Roberts was thought to be in a precarious condition when picked up, as he was shot some considerable distance through space by the force of the explosion, but skilful attention in the hospital brought about a quick recovery, and Roberts has again resumed his duties on the lighthouse tender.

It was at first thought that he would lose the sight of at least one eye, as his face was badly marked by the exploding carbide.

From the beacon, the unfortunate man was hurled into the air and landed on some beachwood. Some danger attends the recharging of beacons during wet weather, as the carbide is affected by the moist atmosphere.

On her recent voyage the Estevan cruised as far North as the Johnstone Straits. Much rainy weather was experienced, which, to a certain extent, hampered the work of the tender.

Long Cruises Ahead

Following her arrival in port the Estevan immediately started loading beacons and supplies for her next cruise to the North, which will occupy several weeks. She will go as far North as the Queen Charlotte Islands, and it is possible that Captain Barnes and his crew may have to spend Christmas away from port.

The lighthouse tender Leebro, Capt. Hunter, got away from port last night on a beacon recharging expedition to the Alaska Boundary. While on the present cruise the Leebro men will attempt to construct the new beacon at White Rocks, Millbank Sound, an operation that was frustrated on the last trip by heavy weather.

LAST FROM ANTWERP

Steamer Oristano Sighted Airships and Submarines When Feeling Way Out of North Sea

Ten days following England's declaration of war, the British steamship Oristano, which is now on the Columbia River, left Antwerp for North Pacific ports. As she was bound down through the North Sea, airships of the warring nations flew above, and she sighted a number of submarines.

The Oristano reached the Atlantic without being molested, and no untoward incident occurred throughout the passage. She came through the Panama Canal, being the first British vessel through from the Atlantic side.

HAS VALUABLE SILK

Inbound Liner Shidzuoka Maru Bringing Baled and Cased Goods Valued at Over $1,000,000

Agents of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha have been further advised that the Japanese liner Shidzuoka Maru is bringing a total of 148 passengers, of which 45 will disembark here and 103 at Seattle. The vessel's cargo consists of 803 tons measurement for Victoria, 1,466 tons measurement coastwise, and 982 tons weight for shipment overland, including 1,337 bales and cases of raw silk and silk goods, valued at over $1,000,000; approximately 1,000 rolls of matting, 1,171 cases of bulbs and oranges, and 116 tons for California.

The vessel sailed from Yokohama on October 21, and is expected in Victoria on November 5.

GLENROY'S POSITION

Royal Mail Boat to Sail From Yokohama December 12 for Victoria via Honolulu

Findlay, Durham and Brodie, agents for the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company, have been advised that the liner Glenroy, now on passage from the United Kingdom to the North Pacific, is booked to leave Yokohama on December 12, for Victoria, via Honolulu.

The liner Monmouthshire arrived at Yokohama on October 23, the Radnorshire at London, on September 5, and the Den of Ruthven at London, on September 18.

Novgorod on Way

Inaugurating the new transpacific service of the Russian Volunteer Fleet, the Russian steamship Novgorod sailed from Vladivostok, Siberia, on October 23, for British Columbia and Puget Sound ports.

Passes Through Canal

Bound through the Panama Canal on her way to Avonmouth, the steamship Santa Rosalia, recently transferred to American registry, is reported to have reached Balboa on Tuesday. She is one of the fleet operated by the Maple Leaf Line between New York, Avonmouth and British Columbia.

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The trouble must be [illegible] sooner or later—take it [illegible]

Miss Dorothy [illegible] London (England), [illegible] ficiency in this work [illegible] to give all the help and [illegible] her power—to ladies so afflicted [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Rooms 712 Fort Street [illegible] toria, B. C.

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MATERNITY nurse, 1787 Second Street. Phone 5013L.

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A MOSS Street lot for sale, cheap. Phone 4391L.

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ACREAGE FOR SALE

ACREAGE to rent on lease. We have 15½ acres, 10 acres, 4 acres and 3 acres to rent on lease. These are all most desirable properties, situated near the B. C. Syndicate; each property with modern house, hot and cold water, bath and toilet and outbuildings, orchard, etc. For further particulars, apply Robert Grubb, 205-6 Central Bldg.

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ACREAGE FOR SALE (Continued)

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WANTED—One acre near Saanich tram, cleared, for cash. Box 3814, Colonist.

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AT Jesmond House, corner Menzies and Simcoe, furnished housekeeping rooms, running water in rooms, all conveniences; low rents.

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FURNISHED 2 or 3-room suites for housekeeping. 1120 Vancouver Street, cheap, close in.

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LARGE furnished housekeeping rooms, single or suite; use of bathroom; sealed; reasonable. 1024 Queens Ave.

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FURNISHED ROOMS

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BLACK soil. Phone 5719Y2.

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MISCELLANEOUS

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CASH paid for old gold and silver. M. Stern, 609 Yates. Phone 4816.

GOOD hustling $2.50 per day, Saturday excepted. Jas. Lugsdin, Cobble Hill. Trespassers prosecuted.

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GOOD 25c meals at English lady's house, 928 Collinson Street. Phone 4846L.

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RIGHT quality, right variety, right prices at Ted Sutton's, Victoria West Cycle Depot.

SECOND-HAND clothing bought, ladies' or gents'. M. Stern, 609 Yates. Phone 4816.

THE Mecca Grill, Sayward Block, Douglas St., down the marble stairs (Phone 2590). Most up-to-date restaurant, perfect comfort and service, four-course lunch and dinner 35 cents, moderate charges, no order too small, ladies' and gentlemen's dressing rooms, open 7 a. m. to 2 p. m.

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ARE you needing cash? I will buy your furniture. Box 3867, Colonist.

CASH always ready for houses of good furniture, piano fortes, ranges, etc. John Bartholomew, Select Auction Rooms, 1619 Fort St.

CASH paid for shotguns and rifles. M. Stern, 609 Yates. Phone 4816.

MILK wanted, 20 to 50 gallons daily, delivered to Victoria or station. Box 2914, Colonist.

OLD stoves bought and repairs done. Phone 3854L.

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WANTED—A marine clutch, suitable for 10 h. p. engine; must be good shape and cheap. Box 3852, Colonist.

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WANTED—Good milk route. Box 3559, Colonist.

WANTED—Singer Sewing Machine in good order, must be cheap, for cash. Phone 5049L.

WANTED—Small invalid chair. Apply 824 Fort St., or Phone 1659L.

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3 YOUNG Leghorn hens at $9 dozen. 1724 Pembroke St.

ROOM AND BOARD

ABERDEEN—Private hotel, 941 McClure, eight minutes to post office, specially comfortable for gentlemen; smoking room, lounge and every convenience; 13 years same management.

A DOUBLE room, separate bed, suit friends; board, private family; central. Phone 3976L.

AT 626 Superior St., room and board; near Parliament Bldgs. Phone 4591L.

AT 448 Herald Street, near Douglas, room and board. $7 per week.

AT 1085 Cook Street, room and board, every home comfort; terms $7. Phone 1459R.

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"HOLLIES" 870 Michigan Street, single or double room, breakfast and supper; very reasonable.

JAMES Bay Hotel, Government Street. The management of this well known residential hotel are now offering special low Winter rates to permanent guests. Notwithstanding the high cost of foodstuffs now prevailing, they are in a position to offer the services of household first-class accommodation at a lower cost than is possible to keep house. Fine location, facing Beacon Hill Park. 100 modern rooms. Excellent table. Phone 2384.

ROOM and board, English cooking. 152 Menzies. Phone 5681L.

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LOST—On Blanshard or Fort, green flat leather purse containing only stamps and baggage checks. Victoria Transfer Co. Kindly return to Room 21, Arlington Rooms, 1702 Fort Street. Reward.

LOST, on Saanich Road, near Dean's farm, Pointer bitch, answering the name of "Bland." Return to Western Hotel. Reward.

LOST—Pearl and amethyst drop earring. Phone 1729. Reward.

LOST—Rough haired Irish terrier dog. Reward. 1400 Chamberlain Street.

LOST—From Pemberton Bldg., Broughton and Douglas, new Raleigh bicycle, 3-speed gear, painted green. No. 371552. Return to 716 Pemberton Bldg., and get reward.

LOST—From 229 Caledonia Avenue, Sunday, fox terrier pup of three months, well marked and with indistinct blotches on back. Answers to name "Spotsmode," alias "Spot." Finder will be suitably rewarded; indemnity required if detained.

LOST—Airedale terrier dog, year old. Return to 1331 Pandora St. Reward. Phone 4947L.

LOST—Late Saturday night, fancy work bag with contents. Kindly return to Central Drug Store and receive reward.

LOST or Stolen—On October 11, white and English setter, yellow ears. Anybody harboring same after this date will be prosecuted. H. C. Bennett, c/o Melanson Sidney, B. C.

LOST—Plain gold signet ring, with crest. Phone 4184L.

LOST—Airedale; shaggy, above average in size; answers to name of "Mike." Reward on return to 932 Mears St. Phone 1718L.

FLATS AND APARTMENTS

AT the Olympic Apartments, 1139 May Street, 2 and 3-room well furnished flats to rent, including everything. Phone 3122. Rent reduced.

A DANDY front suite at the Broadway Apartments, 442 Superior Street, near Government Bldg.

APARTMENTS—4 and 5 rooms, low rent. Apply on car line, Manager H. C. Hardware Stores, Victoria West. Phone 1562R.

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A LANDALE Apartments, corner Lindsay and Hillside, one furnished and one unfurnished suite; first-class in every respect; garage accommodation, rates very reasonable. H. E. Maddock, 5 Winch Bldg. Phone 3615.

AT Mount Edward, Vancouver St., new furnished and unfurnished suites, large rooms; hot water heating, etc.; reduced rents.

AT Hampton Court—Corner of Cook and Leonard St., 4 and 5-roomed suites to rent.

CUT rate price to furnished apartments, lots of hot water, also hot water heat. The Beirdi, 1314 Douglas.

FOUR-room flat, pantry, bathroom, cellar, basement, gas range, wood fire, gas range, etc., 462 Dallas Rd.

FLATS AND APARTMENTS (Continued)

FIVE-Room suite apartment to rent. Caretaker, 1044 Southgate Street.

FURNISHED apartments and unfurnished suite, Southgate St. Apply Victoria Plumbing Co., 1042 Pandora St. Phone 3175L.

GLENGARRY—810 Cook St.; up-to-date. Phone 5196.

MELLOR Apartments, 921 Broughton St., adjoining Royal Victoria Theatre, only one suite, "G," vacant; 2 rooms, kitchen and bath, hot water, modern, hot water heating. Apply Mellor Bros., Ltd., 819 Broughton Street.

MOUNT Douglas—Pleasant apartments to Winter in; reasonable terms. Phone 3425R.

TO careful tenant will rent at half value flat of four large sunny rooms, all built-in conveniences; large open fireplace, private hall and bath; never been occupied. On Douglas Street, end of car line; rent only $15 per month. Robert Russell, 223A Pemberton Bldg.

WANT—FLATS OR APARTMTS

WANTED to rent, at once, three steam-heated nice apartments, furnished, modern home, for housekeeping; vicinity of Quadra, close in. 2549 Grahame St.

TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS

DESK room for rent, including stenographer and phone; front office. Apply 34 Winch Bldg.

TO Rent—Dairy, house and stable. 935 N. Park Street. Phone 5094L1.

FOR RENT—HOUSES

A 5-ROOMED cottage for rent, close to car, $15 per month. Apply J. W. Cleary, Lampson St., Esquimalt. Phone 2962L1.

BEAUTIFUL 6-roomed house, open fireplace, coal and gas range, blinds, splendid basement, between two car lines, close to school; garage; $35 per month. 1546 Bank St. Phone R2395.

EIGHT rooms, Olympia Avenue, $25 per month; 6 rooms Wilmot Place, $25 month; 9 rooms, Margaret Street, $35 per month; 7 rooms, Superior Street, $28 per month; 7 rooms, Fell Street, $30 month; 8 rooms, Beach Drive, $30 month; 5 rooms, Elford Street, $20 month; 9 rooms, Vancouver Street, $25 month; 6 rooms, Empress Street, $16 month; 6 rooms, Douglas Street, $16 month; 5 rooms, Burns Avenue, $15 month; 5 rooms, Burnside Road, $10 month; 6 rooms, Alpha Street, $15 month; 6 rooms, Mason Street, $12 per month. Green & Burdick Bros., Ltd., Broughton and Langley Sts., Phones 4169 and 4170.

FOR Rent—3-room house, nearly new, on Battleford Avenue. Apply E. Burnett, c/o Scott & Peden, corner Store and Cormorant.

FOR Rent—Comfortable 2-roomed house, 2945 Shelbourne St.

HOLLYWOOD—7-room modern house, one minute from car; furnace and all conveniences; $30; with garage $35. Hurrell, 221 Wildwood Ave. Phone 3859L.

HOUSE to let, 8 rooms, Hamiota St., Oak Bay, $15 month. Phone 4055L2.

RENT $15—Modern 5-room bungalow. Apply 1193 Yates.

OAK Bay, near Fort, new 6-room house, furnace, open fireplace, close to cars; basement, good garden; rent reduced to $20. 2078 Bourchier Street.

SEE us for houses to rent in all parts of the city. Union Real Estate Co., Mahon Bldg. Phone 4950.

SEVEN rooms, modern, furnace, Belmont Avenue, near car, $20. 1444 Pembroke Street.

SIX-Room house, new, near Central Park. $22.50. P. O. Box 709.

TO Let—New 6-room house, garage, close in. Apply 1054 Burdett.

TO Let—6-roomed house, new; close in. Apply 1054 Burdett Ave.

TO Rent—4-roomed modern bungalow, 3 minutes to car, $12 per month. Phone 3791X.

TO Rent—Esquimalt, Lampson Street, 12-room house with 1 1-5 acre of well laid out grounds. Apply Esquimalt Furniture Store. Phone 1563RL.

TO Let, 4-room house, $10 month; good order. 68 Dupplin Road.

TO Rent—Semi-furnished 8-room house on Gorge car line, with shack and about one acre of ground; rent $20 per month. Apply Pemberton & Blaikie, 601 Sayward Bldg., phone 1711.

TO Let—Three-room shack. Apply 2636 Cedar Hill Road.

TO Let—Furnished and unfurnished houses. Insurance. Apply E. A. Harris, 1018 Douglas.

1415 FELL Street, fully modern 5-room bungalow, close cars, school; boulevarded street, $21 month.

515 Niagara Street, to rent 6-room house, $18. Apply 610 Niagara St.

WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES

WANTED—Four, five or six-roomed bungalow for family of three; no children. P. O. Box 1374.

WANTED—For Nov. 1st, a 3 or 4-room house or flat partly furnished, very close in and low rent. Box 3766, Colonist.

WANTED to Rent—Married couple without children wants 5 or 6 room house, furnished or unfurnished; close in preferred; state price and full particulars. Box 3688, Colonist.

FURNISHED HOUSES TO LET

A 6-ROOM cottage to rent, furnished, all conveniences; garden. Apply 2415 Grahame St.

A SEVEN-ROOMED house, 1314 Gladstone Ave., well furnished; every modern convenience; garage; moderate rent. Box 3651, Colonist.

A COMFORTABLY furnished 2-room shack, $10 month; married couple only. 1148 Talbot Ave.

A BEAUTIFUL home, desirably located and comfortably furnished, at low rental to the right parties. Box 3558, Colonist.

CORNER Helmcken and Toronto, 5 rooms, furnished. 2839 Cedar Hill Road.

FOR Rent—New 9-room home, large lot, pretty grounds, comfortably furnished, Oak Bay; $40. Box 3561, Colonist.

FIVE-Room furnished house on Craigflower Road, near Tennyside. Phone 3537R.

FOR Rent—Oak Bay Junction, 7-room well furnished house, every convenience, furnace, plate, linen and garage; moderate rent. Phone L3806.

JAMES Bay, 33 Olympian Avenue, eight rooms, furnace, $40.

THREE-Room cottage, furnished absolutely complete, including bed linen, crockery, cutlery, kitchen utensils, etc., modern, with portable bath, beautiful location on waterfront at Foul Bay; rent $15 month, to careful tenant. Apply Mrs. Denny, 1542 Crescent Road. Phone 5198Y.

TO Rent—Fully furnished 7-room house, Wilmot Place, Oak Bay, 3 bedrooms. Apply 1211 Mackenzie St. Phone 1643L.

TO Rent—141 Clarence Street, modern bungalow, 5 rooms, hall and conservatory; close to park, sea, car and Government Buildings; clean and well furnished, including piano, linen, china, plate, phone, nice garden; rent moderate. Take Beacon Hill car.

WATERFRONT bungalow, 6 rooms, fully furnished, piano, linen, etc., rent $30, including water; splendid home for small family. Call at 141 Robertson Street. Phone 2023L.

WELL furnished house to rent, Oak Bay, very cheap to responsible tenants. Apply Westholme Hotel.

WANT—FURNISHED HOUSES

WANTED to rent, a small furnished cottage in the Esquimalt District. Box 3836, Colonist.

WANTED—Small furnished bungalow or cottage for married couple (no children). Phone 4125L.

WANTED—Small furnished bungalow, careful tenants; no children; low rent; good references. Box 3549, Colonist.

TO LEASE

FRUITGROWER wants to rent or lease for three years, 5 to 8 acres land, with cottage, barn and chicken house; part planted with strawberries and one fruit, balance open land. T. W. Beales, Box 3464, Colonist.

MONEY TO LOAN

GOOD agreements of sale wanted. Apply Alliance Securities Company, Ltd., 816 Pemberton Bldg., Victoria, B. C. Phone 4296.

PERSONAL

NOTICE—Mrs. Frank Thomas, 1750 Albert Ave., has left my bed and board for the 5th time. I will not be held responsible for any debts contracted by her. Signed, Frank Thomas, 1750 Albert Ave.

WILL the parties who carried the boy into Terry's drug store, who met with bicycle accident at corner of Pandora and Douglas Streets on Friday night last, call at Mrs. Mulholland's, 2606 Work Street.

YOUNG volunteer, Australian, who has been in France, wishes meet lady for French conversation. Box 3840, Colonist.

WANTED TO BORROW

WANTED—$700 at 12 per cent for 1 year; security. Box 3835, Colonist.

WANTED to Borrow—$300; good security. Box 3784, Colonist.

WANTED—$700, 12 per cent, 1 year; good security. Box 3812, Colonist.

AGENTS WANTED

AGENTS start at once. Big profits handling our household specialty. Send for free booklet. The Franklin Specialty Co., 2264-66 Main St., Vancouver, B. C.

CROFT & ASHBY

Real Estate, Timber, Mines and Coal Lands
Phone 2949. 624 View St., P. O. Box 878.

FARMS! FARMS! FARMS! FARMS!
CATTLE RAN

JOHN BARTHOLOMEW
AUCTIONEER

Specials—Almost new Mason Risch Piano (cost $500), $250. Circassian Walnut Bedroom Suite (cost $175), $100. Buffetts, Library Tables, Chairs, Sewing Machines, Beds complete, $2. Ranges, Heaters, Paintings, Brassware, Electric Reading Lamps and General Household Furnishings. Daily Selling at Auction Prices at
Select Auction Rooms, 1016 Fort Street.

G. FERRIS
SECOND-HAND FURNITURE
If you are wanting anything in Household Furnishings, come and see us first. We have all classes of Furniture, Beds, Crockery, Etc., with a splendid line of Ranges, Heaters and Linoleum. All at lowest prices. Also a Portable Electric Vacuum Cleaner and 5-Horsepower Motor.
Phone 1879 886 Yates St.

MAYNARD & SONS
AUCTIONEERS
In Our Sale of
LIVESTOCK
Friday Morning, 11 o'Clock
At our Saleyard, we will sell 200 Pullets from the Easton Strain of White Leghorns, champion winners in the last egg-laying contest. Also a lot of other very fine Chickens.
MAYNARD & SONS Auctioneers

AUCTION SALE
Under instruction from Mrs. Lea, we will sell by public auction on premises,
627 Hillside Ave.
Today (Thursday) at 2 p.m.
Entire contents of 12-room house, comprising in part: Range, Cook Stoves, Heaters, Extension, Tables, Bedsteads, Mattresses, Dressers, Chairs, Linoleum, Carpets, Tables, Kitchen and Garden Utensils, and numerous other articles too numerous to mention.
FORD & GREENWOOD
AUCTIONEERS
716 Johnson St. Phone 4441

PRELIMINARY NOTICE
Messrs Edwards & Fuller
AUCTIONEERS
Have been instructed by Mrs. Craddock to sell by
PUBLIC AUCTION
on
Thursday, Nov. 5, 1914
The contents of her beautiful home at **316 Douglas Street.** Further particulars will appear later.
EDWARDS & FULLER, Auctioneers
Phone 2149 1119 Fort Street

D. FRANCIS
SECOND-HAND FURNITURE SHOWROOMS, 819 YATES STREET
Opposite Dominion Theatre
Fine selection of good quality Furniture, Ranges, Heaters. Best cash prices given for houses of good, clean furniture, ranges, etc. No junk wanted.
Phone 5368.

NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for Victoria, British Columbia, at their next sittings, for the transfer to the Victoria, Vancouver Importing Wine & Liquor Company, of the bottle license now held by us to sell spirituous liquors by retail on the premises known as 1002 Government Street, in the City of Victoria, British Columbia.
And further take notice that at the same time application will also be made for the transfer of the said license from the premises known as 1002 Government Street aforesaid, to the premises known as 1624 Government Street, in the said City of Victoria.
Dated this 5th day of October, A. D. 1914.
THE WEST END GROCERY CO., LTD.

MESSRS.
EDWARDS & FULLER
AUCTIONEERS
Have Been Instructed by the Owner to Sell by
PUBLIC AUCTION
At the "Paris Millinery," 735 Yates St.,
Today at 3 o'Clock and at 7:30 p.m.
All That New Stock of
High-Class Millinery
Comprising the very latest Modes in Hats, Trimmings, Etc., also a large quantity of Hair Goods.
On view every day up to sale.
EDWARDS & FULLER
Phone 2149 1119 Fort Street

H. W. Davies & Sons
AUCTIONEERS
TENDERS
Called for Three Stocks of
Drygoods and Millinery
Under a Deed of Assignment. To be sold as going concerns, separately or otherwise. Tenders to be in by 12 o'clock noon October 31. For particulars apply to
H. W. DAVIES, Assignee.

MAYNARD & SONS
AUCTIONEERS
Instructed, we will sell at our salesroom, 726 View Street
Tomorrow, 2 p. m.
FURNITURE AND EFFECTS
Including Leather Upholstered Davenport, Leather Couch, 2 Typewriters, 2 Good Couches, 2 Hammerless Shotguns, Reed Arm Chairs and Rockers, Reed Tea Table, China Cabinet, Hall Tree, Camera, Electric Chandeliers, Up. Arm Chairs, Over Mantel, very fine All Brass Bedstead, Spring and Felt Mattress, Iron Bedsteads, Springs and Mattresses, Dressers and Stands, Oak Chiffonier, White Enamel Dresser, Toiletware, Carpets, Carpet Squares, Baby Buggy, Go-Carts, Rockers, Chairs, Oak Ex. Table, Kitchen Tables, Chairs, Utensils, Clothes-dryers, Washing Machine, Step Ladders, Heaters, Parlor Stoves, Cook Stoves, etc. Now on view. Also in stockyards at 11:00 o'clock 200 White Leghorn Pullets from the celebrated Easton strain, also 300 Barred Rocks, R. I. Reds, Wyandottes and other birds, and a lot of Blacksmith's Tools.
MAYNARD & SONS, Auctioneers

AUCTION SALE
We have had shipped to us a
Team of Mares
7 and 9 years old; weight about 1,200, which we will sell by Public Auction at our stock yard, 716 Johnson St. on
Saturday, Oct. 31
at 2 p.m.
The Horses can be seen any time at Bray's livery.
FORD & GREENWOOD
Phone 4441

S. V. ROBERTS
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANT AND AUDITOR
722 Yates Street
Phone 4176 Victoria, B.C.

CITY OF VICTORIA

REGISTRATION OF VOTERS

For the purpose of enabling those desirous of having their names placed on the Municipal Voters' List for 1915, to register, the Assessor's Office at the City Hall will be open every evening this week from 7 to 9 o'clock, excepting Saturday, and on that day the office will be open until 5 o'clock, p.m.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B. C., October 26, 1914.

Victoria Taxpayers

October 31st
will be the
LAST DAY
on which
REBATE
Of 1-6 will be allowed on **1914 Taxes.**

Please remit or call early to avoid rush on last day.

Any person desiring information respecting Taxes or a Tax Bill of Victoria real property will be furnished with same on application. My office will be kept open evenings from the 26th to 30th between 7:30 and 9:30 for giving of information, but not for receiving of payments, which can only be made between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., and up to 1 o'clock on Saturdays.

EDWIN C. SMITH,
Treasurer and Collector.
Victoria, B. C., October 21, 1914.

MUNICIPAL VOTERS' LIST FOR 1915

The Municipal Voters' List of the City of Victoria is composed of the names of three classes of voters, namely: Those who vote as—

1. **Assessed owners of property of the assessed value of not less than $100.00;**
2. **Householders;**
3. **Licensees.**

1. embraces—

(a) **Assessed owners who are not holders of an agreement of purchase of the property upon which they desire to qualify;**

(b) **Those who are:** Before the assessed owner of property held under agreement to purchase can have his name entered on the voters' list he is required to file with the Clerk, or Assessor, before the closing of the voters' list (on the 30th day of November next, at 5 p.m.) **a statutory declaration** proving that he, or she, is the holder of the last agreement to purchase land or real property, or is the last assignee thereof, by the terms of which such holder, or assignee, is liable to pay the taxes, has paid the current year's taxes, and is a British subject.

(c) **Authorized representatives of Corporations:** The duly authorized representative of a corporation must be a resident of this Province and a British subject, and the corporation must have its name on the voters' list and be the assessed owner of lands, or improvements, in the municipality of the assessed value of not less than $100.00.

2. **"Householder"** shall extend to and include any person of the full age of 21 years who occupies a dwelling, tenement, hotel or boarding house, who has been a resident in the municipality from the 1st day of January of the current year, and who shall, unless exempted by the provisions of the proviso at the end of subsection 167 of section 54 of the Municipal Act (which exempts certified efficient militiamen and persons over the age of 60 years from paying road tax), have paid directly to the municipality all rates, taxes or assessments which are not chargeable on land, which rates, taxes or assessments, so paid shall amount to not less than two dollars, due to the municipality for the current year, other than water rates or taxes, or license fees for dogs.

3. **"Licensee"**—This voter is one who carries on business in the municipality and is the holder of a trades license, the annual fee of which is not less than $5.00.

2. and 3. In the case of a holder of a trades license, and in the case of a householder, he, or she, shall, during the month of October in each year, make and cause to be delivered to the Clerk of the Municipality, a statutory declaration made and subscribed before a Supreme or County Court Judge, Stipendiary or Police Magistrate, Commissioner for taking affidavits in the Supreme Court, Justice of the Peace, or Notary Public, or Municipal Clerk, in form, and to the effect of Form 1 in the Schedule of the said Act in the case of the holder of a trade license, and of Form 2 in said Schedule in the case of a householder.

4. No declaration to qualify as a householder, or license-holder, can be accepted by the Clerk unless it is delivered within 48 hours after it is made.

5. No person shall, under any circumstances, be entitled to more than one vote for Mayor or Alderman at the same election, except a voter who also acts as the duly authorized agent of a corporation as above mentioned.

6. No person who is not a British subject can have his name placed upon the voters' list or be allowed to vote at any municipal election.

7. No Chinese, Japanese, or other Asiatic or Indian are entitled to vote at any municipal election for the election of Mayor or Aldermen.

8. No application to the Police Magistrate, or a Judge, for an order to add to the voters' list the name of any person alleged to have been improperly omitted therefrom, shall be heard, or order made, after the 31st day of December next.

Forms of declaration may be obtained, and the necessary declarations made, at the office of the City Assessor, Second Floor, City Hall, Douglas Street.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
Victoria, B. C., October 1, 1914.

VICTORIA GOLF CLUB PROGRAMME

International Team Match and Bostock Cup and B. C. Championship Next Month—Bogey Handicap Saturday.

Announcement was made yesterday of the Victoria Golf Club's programme of competitive events for the next few weeks. The programme includes an international team match with the Seattle Club, the Bostock Cup and British Columbia championship, and the Challoner & Mitchell Cup competition. Indications point to a good sporting season on the Oak Bay links. The course is in splendid condition and the golfers are turning out in large numbers.

On Saturday of this week a bogey handicap competition will be played, the proceeds of which will be given to the Patriotic Fund. An entrance fee of 50 cents will be charged, and there will be an optional sweep, 50 cents per player. Players will select their opponents. Non-competitors must give way to players in competition matches.

The following Saturday the Seattle Golf Club will send over a team of twenty players for the first half of this season's match for the cup donated by Mr. Biggarstaffe Wilson. Victoria won this match last year.

The Bostock Cup and British Columbia championship will be played for on November 13 and succeeding days. This event is open to all men members of British Columbia golf clubs, honorary or otherwise, who have paid their dues, excepting only temporary members. The preliminary rounds will be over 18 holes, and the final 36 holes. Entries must be made with the secretary of the Victoria Golf Club not later than 5 p. m. on November 11, and the fee is $1.00.

The qualifying round of the Challoner & Mitchell Cup competition will be played on November 21 under medal play rules, over 18 holes, with a handicap limit of 18 strokes. The sixteen best net scores will qualify for the competition proper in which match play rules will govern. The final must be played on or before December 7. This competition is open to members of the club only. An entrance fee of $1.00 will be charged.

REGIMENTAL SOCCER TEAMS LIST MATCHES

Six Teams in New Association, and Play Each Other Twice—Rugby Features in American Football.

Appended is the full programme of matches for the Regimental Football Association: Oct. 28—5th Regiment vs. Navy; 88th vs. Garrison; 50th vs. B. C. Horse. Nov. 1—50th vs. Navy; B. C. Horse vs. Garrison; 88th vs. 5th. Nov. 5—88th vs. Navy; 50th vs. Garrison; B. C. Horse vs. 5th. Nov. 8—B. C. Horse vs. Navy; 5th vs. Garrison; 50th vs. 88th. Nov. 12—Garrison vs. Navy; 50th vs. 5th; B. C. Horse vs. 88th. Nov. 15.—5th vs. Navy; 88th vs. Garrison; B. C. Horse vs. 50th. Nov. 19—50th vs. Navy; B. C. Horse vs. Garrison; 88th vs. 5th. Nov. 22—88th vs. Navy; 50th vs. Garrison; 5th vs. B. C. Horse. Nov. 26—B. C. Horse vs. Navy; 5th vs. Garrison; 50th vs. 88th. Nov. 29—Garrison vs. Navy; 50th vs. 5th; B. C. Horse vs. 88th.

Matches in this league will be played on the Willows, Canteen and Work Point grounds. All games will commence at 2:30 o'clock.

Discussing the fact that the big Eastern college football teams are beginning to open up their play, Walter Camp writes: "The football season of 1914 has already taken on extraordinary lines of interest. Many explanations of this have been given, and these explanations are as diverse as the forms of play. The truth of the matter is that the open game, so-called, which means not only forward passing but double and triple passing behind the line and, generally, a much freer handling of the ball, was certain to come because all the signs of the times indicated that the period was ripe for it.

"It is simply an addition to the present highly developed American game of distinctive features of Rugby football through the development of New Zealand and Canadian forces.

"The American game has been weak in passing features, but has two distinctly strong features of play that are not in Rugby; namely, the forward passing and interferences. Just as soon as the American teams realize that they can handle the ball more freely and pass it to one another as Rugby players do, they at once do it, and thus add features of inspiration to their attack which promise to become most popular, not alone with the players, but with the spectators.

"It will produce a game possessing the exciting and exhilarating features of the Rugby passing game, and on top of these, will be added the forward passing, interference and excellent line work of the American style."

RECEIVING ENTRIES FOR GRASS HOCKEY LEAGUE

At a general meeting of the Grass Hockey Association, held last evening at the Ritz Hotel, it was decided to make Wednesday next the last day for receiving applications from teams wishing to enter the league. It was further decided to draw up the schedule of games at a meeting to be held next Wednesday evening. The association is confident of having the first matches played on the Saturday following that meeting. The meeting last night was well attended and the feeling was that the association has a successful season in prospect.

Pugilists at New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 28.—Kid Williams of Baltimore, the bantamweight titleholder, outfought "Dutch" Brandt, of Brooklyn, in a ten-round contest in Brooklyn last night. Williams was held even in the first round, but took the lead in the other rounds. Mike Gibbons of St. Paul, defeated Billy Maxwell of Philadelphia, scoring knockdowns in the first, second and seventh rounds.

MORE TALK OF SEATTLE ENTERING COAST LEAGUE

SEATTLE, Oct. 28.—An Associated Press dispatch from San Francisco last night contained the astonishing statement that at the annual meeting of the Coast league a committee was appointed to consider, among others, the application of Seattle for the franchise forfeited by the Sacramento (Mission) Club. Among Seattle's alleged rivals for this franchise were Salt Lake City, San Jose and San Diego. President Baum, Frank W. Leavitt and E. Cal Ewing were named as the committee to figure out the problem.

President Dugdale, of Seattle, could not be reached last night, but James Norton, secretary of the club, said that he had heard nothing about it, and admitted that if anything like that was going on he should have smelt a little smoke. Seattle is a member of the Northwestern league, and the only way to get out of it would be for the league to collapse or the directors agree to the change. So long as the league exists the directors would refuse to let Seattle withdraw.

DRAW IS MADE FOR CUP-TIE FOOTBALL

Ten Teams Entered—Peden Cup-Ties Will Precede Series Under B.C.F.A. Jurisdiction—League Games Saturday.

It was decided at last night's meeting of the Victoria Football Association that the Peden Cup, recently donated, could not be played for under the jurisdiction of the district executive of the B. C. F. A. as the cup had been given to the Victoria Football Association. It was, therefore, arranged to have another cup put up for the Lower Island B. C. F. A. cup-ties, and, prior to these, to run off a series of ties for the Peden Cup, which will be governed by the Victoria Football Association as a body distinct from the British Columbia Association.

The Peden Cup ties will commence a week from Saturday. Ten teams are entered, the Willows Camp and nine of the teams now competing in the senior and intermediate league series. The Oak Bays are the only league team not entered. The draw for the first round was made last night as follows: Victoria West Seconds vs. C. P. R.; Civic Service vs. Empires; James Bays vs. Fairfields; Willows Camp vs. Jacksons; Victoria West Seniors vs. Thistles.

The following league games were arranged for this Saturday, two junior matches being added to the usual schedule of senior and intermediate fixtures:

Senior

Jacksons vs. James Bays, Oak Bay grounds; referee, Mr. Locke.

Wests vs. Thistles, Beacon Hill (lower); referee, Mr. Allen.

Intermediate

Civic Service vs. Empires, Beacon Hill (new grounds near Albion cricket pitch); referee, Mr. Okewell.

Wests vs. Fairfields, Beacon Hill (upper); referee, Mr. Lorimer.

C. P. R. vs. Oak Bays, Heywood Avenue; referee, Mr. Goward.

Junior

Y. M. C. A. vs. Wests, Central Park, 3:15 o'clock.

High School A vs. High School B, Central Park, 2 o'clock.

FUND CONTRIBUTION OF ATHLETIC CLUB

Receipts Nearly $300 at Boxing Tournament — Similar Events in Aid of Patriotic Society Planned.

So successful was the tournament held on Tuesday night that the Vancouver Island Athletic Club officials have now under consideration a plan to hold a monthly series of these events in aid of the Patriotic Society. The attendance at the tournament on Tuesday was between 700 and 800, and it was announced yesterday that the receipts were $271.75, which, less a small sum for necessary expenses, will be contributed to the patrotic fund.

Manager Davies, of the Vancouver Island Club, stated that, even if the proposed series was not carried out, another meeting would probably be arranged for some evening about four weeks hence. He thought a return match between Stewart, of the Sir John Jackson Club, and Scotty McKay, would make a splendid attraction as a headliner.

Stewart won a narrow decision after an extra round on Tuesday, but McKay claims he was handicapped by a bad boil on his neck and can beat the Albert Head man if given another chance. He is willing to take Stewart on at 158 pounds.

Russ Leighton, physical instructor of the Vancouver Commercial Club, was in Victoria on Tuesday and he arranged to have four Victoria boys compete in the inter-city tournament in the Terminal City on November 3. The four chosen are Al Davies, 115 pounds; Scot Cropper, 135 pounds; Jack Larrigan, 135 pounds; and Scotty McKay, 158 pounds.

A letter of protest against the decision which gave Scot Cropper the victory over W. James, in the 145-pound bout on Tuesday night, has been received from Mr. C. R. Venning, secretary of the Sir John Jackson Club. Mr. Venning says: "I would like to know why the referee should be allowed to give such a misleading win to Scot Cropper when the judges could not agree? Judging from the spectators' point of view, I maintain that it is no satisfaction to anyone to compete as sportsmen and have such a decision given as the one I am referring to. All three of the Sir John Jackson men are daily laborers in the quarry, and did not leave work until 6:30 o'clock, after which they willingly came to town for the benefit of all athletes. I say, again, it is a shame that these undeserved decisions should be allowed. It means the ruination of sport."

CRYSTAL THEATRE CHANGES FILM SERVICE

The management of the Crystal Theatre today closed a contract with the World Film Corporation for the exclusive booking of their famous feature photo-plays to commence tonight with the four-act English drama "The Master Criminal," taken from the well known book of that name, and produced under the personal direction of the Shubert Theatrical Company, of New York.

This photo-play will be followed on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week with the greatest of all war dramas: "The Battle of Waterloo," depicting this great historical event in a masterpiece of motion photography.

FEEL KEENLY OVER DEATH OF MR. LIPSKY

The Regimental Football Association wishes it stated that, had notification of Mr. Lipsky's death been received soon enough, the league matches played yesterday would have been postponed out of respect to him. The association keenly regrets the death of Mr. Lipsky, who took a great interest in the regimental sports and assisted very generously in the establishment of the league by donating a handsome silver trophy. The soldier athletes extend their sincere sympathy to his relatives.

INMAN'S LONG LEAD ON ENGLISH TABLE

TORONTO, Oct. 28.—Melbourne Inman, the English billiard champion, and Willie Hoppe, the United States balk line title-holder, commenced their series of mixed style matches here today. The play was devoted to the English game, at which Inman demonstrated his superiority by defeating Hoppe 625 to 172 in the afternoon, and 625 to 198 in the evening.

Inman's best run in the afternoon was 166, and at night was 175. Hoppe's highest score in the afternoon was 30, while in the evening his best run was 49.

FOR PATRIOTIC FUND

Police and Fusiliers Will Play Football on Saturday at Athletic Park

Strenuous pastime which will provide the spectators with lots of amusement while, it is expected, the Patriotic Aid Fund will be materially increased, will be witnessed at the Royal Athletic Park on Saturday afternoon when teams representing the City Police Department and the 88th Fusiliers will strive for supremacy at soccer football. A large number of tickets have been sold and as the proceeds will all be donated to the fund, a large attendance is looked for.

While the football game will be the piece de resistance other items on the programme assure the spectators an entertaining afternoon. The police have been training assiduously for the occasion and promise to put an eleven in the field which will take the honors. On the other hand the soldiers have been equally hard at work and assert that while their kicking propensities may be less effective their condition is better than that of the bluecoats. The presence of the latter assure a quiet lawful game.

At half time in the game a half-mile open foot race will be held, the winner to secure a handsome silver cup. Another feature will be Highland dancing by Miss Violet Hastings, daughter of Constable Hastings. The young lady is most proficient in the art and on previous occasions has appeared to great advantage before Victoria audiences. She will be accompanied by Miss Agnes Wallace, an expert on the bagpipes

The following team will represent the Police Department: Goal, G. Gates; backs, P. Brogan and A. Bishop; halfbacks, W. Stark, E. Munro and F. Jones; forwards, A. Wright, G. McGregor, C. Taylor, J. Fry and T. Hall or C. Cremer.

The event is being held under the auspices of the Mayor and Police Commissioners and officers of the 88th Fusiliers. The band of the regiment will render selections. Mayor Stewart will kick off sharp at 3 o'clock. Alderman O'Keil will hold the whistle.

Welsh and Baldwin.

BOSTON, Oct. 28.—Freddie Welsh, lightweight champion of the world, won a decision last night over Matty Baldwin, of Charlestown, in a twelve-round bout. Welsh had the better of every round to the tenth. That round and the remaining two were Baldwin's. Welsh finished unmarked, however.

Edwards & Fuller
AUCTIONEERS
Have been instructed to sell by
PUBLIC AUCTION
on
Today, Oct. 29
At their salesrooms, 1119 Fort St., commencing at 2 o'clock, the following
Household Goods and Effects
Oak Dining Table, Oak Buffet, 6 fine Oak and other Dressers, China Cabinet, Rocking Chairs and Occasional Chairs, Brass and White Enamel and Brass Bedsteads, Mattresses, Blankets, Bedspreads, Sheets, 6 rolls Lino., Jams and Preserves, Deck Chair, Chest of Drawers, Carpets, Gramophone, and other goods too numerous to mention. On view Wednesday and morning of sale.
EDWARDS & FULLER
Auctioneers
Phone 2149 1119 Fort Street

Sale of Pigs
JOSEPH H. LIST
Auctioneer
Instructed will sell by Auction in the
CITY MARKET
Tomorrow, 2 p.m.
85 Pigs about two months old, also other live stock, poultry, etc. Phone 5339L.
Note—I've no connection with any other firm of auctioneers.
JOSEPH H. LIST

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Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Fittings, Public Buildings, Greenwood, B. C.," will be received until 4 p. m., on Friday, November 13, 1914, for fittings for Post Office, Customs and Inland Revenue, Greenwood, British Columbia.

Tenders will not be considered unless made upon forms furnished by Department, and in accordance with conditions contained therein.

Plans and specification to be seen on application to Mr. F. W. McLaine, Clerk of Works, Public Building, Greenwood, B. C., Mr. Wm. Henderson, Resident Architect, Victoria, B. C., and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10 per cent) of the amount of the tender.

By order.

R. C. DESROCHERS,
Secretary.
Department of Public Works, Ottawa, Oct. 22, 1914.
—61361.

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT

Notice is hereby given that Percy Richardson, carrying on business as a Tobacconist and News Vendor, at the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, assigned to Arthur R. Langley, of the City of Victoria, in trust for the benefit of his creditors, all his real and personal estate, credits and effects, which may be seized and sold under execution, which assignment bears date the 19th day of October, 1914.

And notice is hereby further given that a meeting of the creditors will be held at the office of Arthur R. Langley, 205 Central Building, Victoria, B. C., on Friday, the 30th day of October, 1914, at the hour of 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of giving directions for the disposal of the estate.

All claims must be filed with the undersigned, verified by statutory declaration, and to entitle any creditor to vote, his claim must be filed on or about the date of the meeting.

And further take notice that on and after the 30th day of November, 1914, the said assignee will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Percy Richardson among the person entitled thereto, having regard only to the claim of which he shall have then had notice, and he will not be held responsible for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not then have been notified.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 21th day of October, 1914.

ARTHUR R. LANGLEY,
Assignee.

CAN A WOMAN

Play cards for money, drink cocktails, smoke cigarettes, paint her face, wear clothes like a bathing suit—slit to the knee—and

STILL BE A LADY?

Hear the frank, startling answer to this pertinent question in the wonder sketch of the year

"The Great Question"

BY WALTER MONTAGUE

With Landers Stevens, Georgie Cooper & Co.

AT PANTAGES, THIS WEEK

Other Big Acts, Including

The York Trio
Togan & Geneva
"On the Wire"

Prince & Deerie
In a classy Patterlogue

The Great Castell
Daring Motorcyclist in
"The Dip of Death"

Bruce Richardson & Co., in
"Moving Day,"
A riotously funny comedy

Three Shows Daily—3, 7:30, and 9:15. Matinees, **15c**; evening, orchestra and balcony, **25c**, boxes, **50c**. Three shows Saturday evening, beginning at 6:30.

DAVID SPENCER, LIMITED

1,100 Yards Beautiful Silks, Usually Sold From $2.25 to $3.75, to Go on Sale, Friday, at $1.25

THIS is one of our October Silk Specials, and one that will create great interest on Friday. A very choice assortment of Silk in this lot, including fancy brocades, shot reps and taffetas, in one of the best and largest ranges of shades shown this season—every imaginable color included. Women who are about to make up their new party, evening or day gowns, will find this sale affords them an excellent choice, and the additional advantage of buying at a substantial saving. See special window display on View Street

Values $2.25 to $3.75—Special, Friday, at $1.25 Yard

—Main Floor

The Shaker Knit Sweater
With Spalding Collar

Is a great favorite with women. It's one of the most useful and serviceable styles for wear at all kinds of sports, also for business and outing wear. We have this particular Sweater in all the leading shades of scarlet, myrtle, fawn, navy, dark smoke, grey and white. Excellent quality for wear, being made from all pure woolen yarns, perfectly woven, a Sweater that's honestly worth every bit of its modest cost. Our special value at **$3.75**

—First Floor

Velveteens and Corduroys at Very Special Prices

JUST when Velveteens and Corduroys are most fashionable comes a very special purchase to sell at lowered prices. For instance:

$1.00 Silk Finished Velveteens for, Yard, 75¢—A beautiful quality, in rich, plain shades of electric blue, navy, saxe blue, moss, emerald, cherry, mole, pearl grey and cardinal.

$1.25 Corduroys for, Yard, 75¢—In both wide and narrow cords and in colors reseda, moss, saxe blue, navy, grey, violet, mole and brown. Good wearing qualities.

—Main Floor

Warm Winter Coats for Infants

THE little ones will need warm, cosy Coats this Winter and there's nothing that looks nicer than these in white Teddy bear cloth. They are beautifully warm and cosy, well made and finished in attractive shapes. Some with capes attached and others finished with silk braid trimming. All sizes from six months to 2 years. Specially marked at very low prices. Each, $1.75 to **$5.75**

—First Floor

Specially Good Values in Flannelette Gowns for Children

IF you bought the materials and made the gowns up yourself you could not make them of such good quality materials as used in these gowns without it costing you considerably more than the price at which we offer you the finished garment.

They are extra good qualities, made in neat styles, and you can choose from plain white or pink flannelette. Some are quite plain, others very neatly trimmed with embroidery and frills of self. All sizes from 2 to 14 years. Special values from 50c to **95c**

—First Floor

Private Greeting Christmas Cards

We are now showing the new season's specimens of personal Greeting Cards. These cards present a large selection of exclusive designs and are especially printed with customer's own name and address giving them that personal touch which is lacking in the regular lines of cards. The prices range from $1.00 up to $3.50 per doz. including printing and envelopes. We recommend an early choice as the best of the selection will be early exhausted. Samples at the stationery counter.

—Main Floor

Attractive Novelties in Fancy Girdles and Neckwear

New Fancy Ribbon Girdles, in all colors and black. Prices range up from **$1.00**

New Medici Collars, in lace, chiffon and lawns; very smart in effect. All prices up from .....**35¢**

New Soft Folded Patent Leather Belts, in black; the very latest. Each, 35c and **$1.00**

Satin Ribbons in all shades, 6 in. wide. Per yard, 25c and .....**35¢**

Colored Cord Ribbons, 5 in. wide. Per yard .....**25¢**

Velvet Ribbons for Millinery, in all the new novelty shades. All prices, per yard up to .....**75¢**

Dresden and Roman Stripes, also Embossed Velvet Ribbons for millinery, fancy sashes and girdles; all widths at, per yard, up from .....**25¢**

—Main Floor

Inexpensive Air-Tight Heaters for Wood Fuel

THE merit of this form of Heater is in its easy control and slow combustion, which means economy of fuel. We have a large assortment to choose from—the high-class, cast-lined air-tights, the medium class with cast-iron swing tops, and the lower priced types of blue steel with steel linings. These vary in prices up from **$2.00**

If interested in a new Heater of any kind, whether for home, office, store or public building, give us a call and let us talk the matter over with you. Our many years of practical experience and advice is at your service.

—Stove Dept., Third Floor

Cork Linoleum
At, Per Square Yard, 45c

This is our well known quality, and one that gives entire satisfaction in wear. Strongly recommended for bedrooms, dens and libraries, but we have patterns suitable for any room in the house. Your choice from block, tile, floral and matting effects.

—First Floor

Painted Back Oilcloth
At, Per Square Yard, 30¢

An excellent floor covering for those who require something quite inexpensive. Easy to clean, hygienic, and gives good satisfactory service for small outlay. Your choice from a big range of designs and colorings.

—First Floor

Particularly Good Values Are These Novelty Suits at $25.00

THE fact is, our regular range of $25.00 Suits was nearly sold out, so to make up the selection of styles and sizes, we picked out quite a number of our better-grade values and included them in this line to make up an attractive assortment for today's selling. That makes this range of Suits particularly good values and the lady who makes her selection today from this range is really buying a $30.00 or $35.00 Suit and paying only **$25.00** for it. It will be decidedly in your favor to make your selection early today.

—First Floor

English Baby Carriages—The Essence of Comfort and Warmth

A good English Baby Carriage requires a lot of beating for real solid comfort and warmth. They are large and roomy inside, warm and cosy, and keep baby well protected from draughts. The body of carriage, too, is suspended on exceptionally well tempered steel springs with adjustable straps, thus assuring your child every protection from sudden jars (which injure the spine) when crossing rough pathways and roads. Wheels are perfectly adjusted, well tired, and easy running. We strongly advise you to consider having one of these, if interested in Baby Carriages. Prices from $25.00 to **$35.00**

—Furniture, Second Floor

Carpet and Drapery Specials for Friday

9 x 12 Jap Matting Square. Special at ... $2.75

A most useful square for bedrooms, sanitary and hygienic. A good, weighty quality, printed in all-over designs; others with plain centres and fancy borders and some have medallion centres. Colors in green, reds and blues, also combination effects. Special Friday, each **$2.75**

$15.00 and $18.00 Brussels Squares To Clear at $9.75

Only six squares in this lot, so you'll have to hurry if you want one. Good quality Brussels in serviceable designs and colorings, and in size 9 x 9 only. A carpet that's regularly sold at $15.00 and $18.00. Clearing Friday morning at **$9.75**

50c Washable Cretonnes To Clear at, Yard 35c

A splendid selection of Cretonnes in this offering and just the material, designs and colorings you need for draperies, curtains and slip covers. A pattern in a coloring to suit every style of room. All washable and fast colors, in tapestry and chintz effects. Regular 50c grade. Friday, per yard .....**35¢**

50-Inch Reps To Sell at, Yard 75c

A good strong quality, suitable for covering furniture or excellent for heavy window curtains or portieres. We have this quality in three colors only, emerald, olive and red. 50 in. wide and very special at, per yard .....**75¢**

—First Floor

Important Sale of Women's Shoes Today at $2.35

A SHOE offering of great importance to every woman studying economy in Dress. We secured just 150 pairs of these Shoes—a particularly good buy, and we offer them to you today at the lowest price at which we've ever offered this class of Shoe.

A good serviceable quality, especially for Fall and Winter wear, well made and finished from good stock. Your choice from button and lace styles, Cuban and school heels, in black glace kid; all sizes. A smart Shoe for walking or business wear.

Special Sale Today Per Pair $2.35

—First Floor

Sweaters for Youths and Boys at Lowest Prices

WHETHER it's a School Sweater your lad requires, or a good, serviceable garment for business wear, you will find one in this assortment that will just fill his need. The following offerings are all exceptionally good values, being marked at lowest possible prices:

Boys' Imported All-Wool Sweaters, made to fasten on shoulder; medium weight for Fall and Winter wear. In colors navy, green, brown, cardinal, grey and white. Exceptional value for school wear.
Sizes 22 to 24. Each .....**75¢**
Sizes 26 and 28. Each **$1.00**
Sizes 30 and 32. Each **$1.25**

Same Class Sweater as Above, but finer grade wool, also same style and colors.
Sizes 22 and 24. Each **$1.25**
Sizes 26 and 28. Each **$1.35**
Sizes 30 and 32. Each **$1.50**

Boys' Heavy Ribbed Sweaters, wool and cotton mixtures, pull-over-head style; in sizes 22 to 32. These in colors, cardinal with navy, tan with myrtle, navy with cardinal, grey with cardinal. This is a most useful style sweater, having a roll collar with a stripe trimming. Special, each .....**50¢**

Boys' Woolen Sweaters similar to above, but with roll back collar to form open neck if desired. These come in grey with cardinal collar, tan with myrtle, navy with cardinal, and grey with cardinal. Sizes 26 to 32. Special, each .....**75¢**

Boys' Coat Sweaters in vest shape, medium weight wool mixture. Just the thing for school wear. In colors navy trimmed cardinal, fawn with khaki, tan with khaki, maroon with slate, and grey with maroon. Sizes 26 to 32 chest. Price, each **75c**
Youths', size 34 chest **$1.00**

Boys' Coat Sweaters with the new shaped roll collar, to turn up or down, good weight wool mixture, in colors maroon, tan, fawn, navy and grey. Sizes 26 to 32 chest. Each **$1.25**
Youths', size 34 chest. Each...**$1.50**

Boys Heavy Ribbed Wool Sweater Coats, with the new roll collar. These come in colors maroon, tan, fawn, navy and grey. Sizes 26 to 32. Each ...**$1.50**
Youths', size 34 chest. Each **$1.75**

Boys' Heavy Rib Wool Sweater Coat, a splendid grade for best wear. In plain shades, tan, grey, fawn and navy. Roll collar. Sizes 26 to 32. Each ..**$1.75**
Youths', size 34 chest. Each **$2.00**

—Main Floor

Good Business Suits for Men at $10, $12.50 and $15

NO need for men to pay a big price for a good business Suit, so long as we can offer you these values at such low prices. They are not the ordinary Suits usually sold at these prices, but extraordinary values. Suits that would sell, if bought in the regular way, at from three to five dollars more. All men about to buy a new Suit should call and examine these. Try on the coats if you like, and see how smartly they are cut and how well tailored. You have your choice from a large selection of hard-wearing tweeds, worsteds and serges, all the very latest in patterns and shades. Single and double-breasted coats with medium and plain pants, some finished with cuffs. Special value at, per Suit, $10.00, $12.50 and **$15.00**

—Main Floor

Smart, Serviceable Footwear for Men

THESE prices represent not only big values, but smart styles as well. They are a class of Shoe that will meet the approval of all, and the various styles and leathers make them a serviceable boot for all purposes. You will be wise in selecting your new footwear here. It means a substantial saving to you.

Men's Box Calf Bluchers, made on good roomy lasts and of stylish appearance; double soles, leather lined, also with drill lining. Per pair **$3.50**

Men's Goodyear Welted Boots in box calf, glazed kid and velour calf. These boots are made in England especially for us, on well-known American lasts, thus combining the good wearing qualities of English made footwear with the fit and style of the Americans. Per pair, special **$4.00**

—Main Floor

Velvet Robes and Fancy Wrapperettes

20c and 25c Values Today, per yard 15c

A splendid chance for you to get a few yards to make up appropriate garments for the Winter. You can choose from a good variety of designs in both small and large effects, also Paisley colorings. Qualities usually sold at 20c and 25c, today, per yard **15c**

—Main Floor

Interesting Book Specials for Friday

Infantry Training (4-Company Organization), 1914. General Staff, War Office. Published by authority .....**20¢**

A book every unit of the Home Guard should study

The "John Bull" Portfolio of War Celebrities, containing 16 mounted photogravure portraits, with biographical notes .....**35¢**

Weldon's Ladies' Journal, November .....**10¢**

Weldon's Illustrated Dressmaker, November .....**5¢**

Weldon's Children's Fashions .....**5¢**

The Great War—The Standard History of the All-Europe conflict. Parts 1 to 3 now ready. Each .....**15¢**

The Times History of the War—Parts 1 to 8 now ready. Each .....**20¢**

—Main Floor

Hallowe'en Stationery Novelties

Lunch Sets, consisting of one fast color decorated table cover, 12 napkins, 12 doilies, 12 plates .....**75¢**

Decorative Crepe Paper, per fold .....**35¢**

Decorative Crepe Serviettes, dozen, 10c; 4 dozen, **25¢**

Decorative Crepe Doilies, 2 dozen .....**15¢**

Decorative Pulp Plates, per dozen .....**50¢**

Orange and Black Paper Garlands, each .....**10¢**

Orange and Black Ribbon Crepe, each .....**15¢**

Stickers, Seals, in various designs, box .....**10¢**

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